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Finery.

The refining of iron is an intermediate process, between smelting the ore in the blast furnace and the forging the metal, for the purpose of removing certain impurities before its removal to the charcoal forge or to the puddling furnace. This operation is best carried out by the English method, in which a hearth is used formed of hollow cast iron plates, through which a current of cold water is constantly running to prevent their melting. This hearth is provided with from two to six tuyeres, which furnish a strong current of blast. The pig iron is melted either with or without the addition of coke or charcoal, and then subjected for some time to the action of the blast. By the latter, as well as by the oxide of iron produced, it is purified, and as soon as it has become less fluid, it is tapped off. The hearth is then immediately charged again. As the blast serves less for the production of a high temperature than for oxidation it is seldom applied hot. In some places steam has been used with the blast, or the blast has been directed through the molten pigs. Indeed, this latter method may be considered as the forerunner of the Bessemer process.

The finery was originally used to improve the impure pig contaminated with silicium, before puddling, but later it was also introduced in combination with the fining in the charcoal hearth in South Wales, Styria and other places. The refined metal produced from gray coke pig is generally porous, owing rather to the fact that a current of water is permitted to flow upon it as soon as it becomes solid, than to a lesser amount of carbon. By the fining the percentage of the carbon in the iron remains generally the same, or varies but little, but the graphite is converted into chemically combined carbon, while a good deal of the silicium, man ganese, and phosphorus pass into the slag The slags are mostly dark colored, vitreous or crystalline, and consist mostly of a singulo-silierte of protoxide of iron. Their composition ertained by the following

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Protoxide of iron	65.23	51.94	61:28	73.22	23.8
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Protoxide of man-					
ganese	1.57	2.71	3.58		40.7
famina	3.60	5.75	7:30		2.3
Ame	0.42	1.19	3.41		7.8
Magnesia	1:38	0.20	0.76		
ulphur	0.33		0.46		
sulphide of iron	1				
(Fe.S.)		0.27		****	
Phosphorus		0.99			
Copper		traces.	****		
1000		0.70		979	-

1. Fine metal slag of Dowlais-RILEY. 2 Orystallized slag of Dowlais-RILEY. 3. Crys tallized like olivin from the Bramford Iron Works—Forbes. 4. Crystallized slag of Stour-bridge—Rammelsburg. 5. Crystallized of Janrberg, in Carinthia-HARDT.

In Figs. 1 and 2 we represent a finery with tuyeres and heating fire as erected in Masell, in Styria. A is a hearth with closed ides, except at the working side. The bottom ensists of fire-proof stones, upon which a per tuyeres with a dip of 15 degrees and pro- inch. truding six inches. They have a width of 11/4 inches, and are 1% inches in hight. In order to utilize all the heat, the flame is made to pass furnace, or the cupola, directly into the finery. from the finery-hearth to a heating-hearth, of In the Morfa Tin Plate Works, at Llanelly to ulflize all the heat, the flame is made to pass which part B serves for heating the pig, while the back part C serves for glowing the wrought iron bars (slab iron), which is to be further worked under the flat hammer. D is the chimney and Sa damper. Both parts of the heating furnace are provided with doors for charg ing and discharging. E is a pig which can be introduced on a wheel through a hole in the blast-plate. In a hearth of 32 inches width, 36 inches length and from 9 to 10 inches depth from the tuyere to the sand bottom, 10 cwt. of that at first seems so mysterious to those unused fine iron are produced every three hours, with to brazing and soldering, is extremely simple a supply of from 4 to 6 cubic feet charcoal per to 9 per cent., in proportion as it has been equalized with a greater or lesser addition of finery slags; the pressure of the blast is 18 inches water column. The fine iron is tapped off into unfrequently contain practical suggestions of a pit lined with sand or charcoal dust, or, better, into east iron molds previously washed workshop by the builders. with a thin clay solution, to prevent adhesion of the refined iron to its surface.

Figs. 3 and 4 represent a finery of larger dimensions, with six tuyeres. A is the bottom, hole, O, out of which the molten metal runs

The Refining of Iron in the English into the cast iron chill mold, F. G is the work-experience, the temper can be restored at this above the earth, and eight feet apart, sawed off course of the boiler was stayed only by a stone tuyere openings. I, I are side plates of the W, Ware blast pipes, with the valves, V,

overcome in time.

ing plate. a, a are side plates, with grooves for rod, S, which serves as support for the crowbar in working the metal. H, H are plates, with the saw maker, and the necessity for doing it in be bolted a heavy five inch rail in the shape of hearth, fastened to the columns, K. The latter, as well as beams, L, L, support the chimney, breaking the blades, which will no doubt be Much of the first story is in two parts, hanging V. b, b are water tuyeres, with nozzles of a dip of from 25 to 30 degrees. r, r are water boxes, which provide the tuyeres, as well as the three sheets; the saw being scarfed or bevelled off to hollow hearth walls, with water, which runs about one-third of its thickness at the ends, great central rail-no part touching earth. To

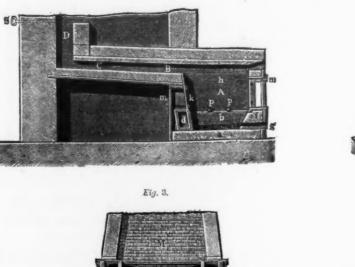
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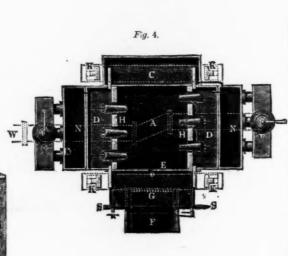
was thrown, it must have gone nearly on alevel from its first altitude as it passed under the telegraph wires on Nutt street, and but for the embankment under the house on Front street would probably have continued its course for 300 ft. further. Front street is about on a level with the top of the mill. This boiler must have passed broadside through the air until it reached a row of shade trees in the yard of the Front street premises, when resistance offered by them turned its course, and it entered the basement of the house lengthways; otherwise the entire house would have been demolished and the accident would have been still more fearful in its results. The steam cylinder, which passed from the boiler room to the en-gine, was torn in half, one part falling in the dock to the north of the mill, the other passing through the mill, shattering everything as it went, and falling on the wharf beyond it. The asualties amount to three persons killed outright, one probably mortally wounded, two seriously wounded and several others more or ess injured. The boilers weighed 7000 pounds each. They were 35 ft. long and 3 ft. in diameter, and had been in use at the mill about one year. They were among the newest and best equipped boilers in the city, and were generally worked under a pressure of 80 pounds of steam. The engine was stopped on Tuesday night as usual, and was started again at six o'clock this morning with the usual pressure, about 1000 ft. of lumber having been sawed previously to the explosion. The boilers were fastened very securely in their position in the boiler room, clamped down to an iron bed and placed as solidly as it was possible for them to be. The power of the fastenings was estimated at 40,000 rounds. The boiler room was of brick, 7 ft. high, the walls being 3 ft. thick, the whole secured with iron bands.

Telegraphic Consolidation .- The anouncement that the Anglo-American Telegraph Co., the Societe du Cable Transatlantique, and the New York, Newfoundland and London Telegraph Company had agreed upon a consolidation has been received with anything but satisfaction by the business community of this country. The Anglo-American Company was formed in 1865, with a capital of £600,000, with a view to completing and laying the first Atlantic Cable, after several unsuccessful attempts had been made by the original company. Its lines extend from Valencia, Ireland, to Heart's Content, Newfoundland. The French Company was organized with £1,200,000 capital, and its wires extend from Brest, France, to Dux-bury, Mass., via the Island of St. Pierre, a distance of about 3100 miles. The New York, Newfoundland and London Company, of which Cyrus W. Field is president, has wires from Heart's Content, Newfoundland, to Port Hastings, Cape Breton Island. This company was chartered with a capital of \$4,000,000, and has the exclusive right to land cables on the Newfoundland shores. The amalgamation of these companies is accounted for in some quarters on the ground of economy in their service and management. In other circles the movement is regarded as the inception of a monopoly. Two new cables are in course of construction, one of which is the American Cable Telegraph Company, from a point on the coast of Great Company is prohibited by its charter from amalgamating with any other. The other company will have lines extending from Lisbon, Portugal, to some point on this coast.

A New Mitrailleuse .- An erprateising Tennessean has invented a mitrailleuse, now being tried at Sand's Point, on the Sound, which scatters its fire over a larger area than the French gun, and is not so likely to soon become heated as that weapon. It has twentyresting on a pile of lumber and elevated at an four barrels of forty-four calibre grouped together in a chamber of brass in such a way that at a distance of 300 yards their contents are thrown over an ellipse the long diameter of which is 24 feet, the size of the ellipse increas ing proportionately to the increase of distance. The brass receptacle is filled with water, which effectually prevents the too great heating of the barrels, and the entire 24 barrels are discharged by a lever, which also, by a simple combination in one compound movement, revolves the chambers, throws out the discharged cartthird boiler, which was farthest from the pump ridges, and replaces them with new ones. In a trial held at Sand's Point recently, it discharged 1200 shots in one minute, completeft., taking off the top of one house and the ly riddling a target 12 feet by 6 placed at a distance of 100 yards. The gun, together with one on a more simple pattern, is to be exhibited

The workmen engaged in digging the Oswego





FINERY FURNACES-WITH TWO AND SIX TUYERES.

smelter are also cooled off.

A finery of this kind is charged with from 20 working side, is formed by the tap-stone f, with tap-hole g, for drawing off the fined iron and the slag. h, i, k, are cast iron fire plates, screwed to the cast fron supports m. The latter; as well as the hooped side-plates n, serve with four or eight tuyeres, 1200 cubic feet, of joint. to support and fasten the wall o: p, p, are cop- from 11/4 to 21/4 lbs. pressure on the square

made to convey the liquid pig from the high cial knowledge; so much so, that their manu-(Glamorganshire), the iron obtained in a finery with two tuyeres and supplied with coke is permitted to run directly into two charcoal hearths, in which it is further treated.

Joining Band Saws.

In Richard's treatise on wood working machinery we find the following:

The operation of joining band saw blades, when once learned. A few failures may The waste of iron consists of from 3 expected in the first experiments, and the letters received by the manufacturers of sawing machinery from their customers relating to this matter are sometimes quite humorous, and not great value that have been overlooked in the

Brass, spelter, German silver, and various alloys are used for making the joints; the preference being generally in the end given to the silver solder, on account of its convenience consisting either of sand or slag, and resting and the low heat at which it fuses, compared on a platform, B, of fire-proof bricks. The with brass. Its strength is quite sufficient, alback plate, C, and the two side plates, D, of though not equal to brass; in fact, the joints, the square hearth are formed of hollow cast however made, rarely give way, the weak points

and give the compression needed to close the

The manufacture of band saw blades requires inch.

In order to save fuel, attempts have been with a great deal of what may be termed specially and intelligent manipulation, under date of April 2d, gives the following account of the recent boiler explosion in that city: cesses remain with the French.

> houses for steel, tempered and ready for toothing and grinding processes that can certainly be as well done, and much cheaper in France; the object being to secure the name of manufacturing band saws. This plan is likely to danger of drawing or injuring the temper by those who do not understand the entire process.

> manufacture the blades that gave profitable results; being also the manufacturers of machines, and indeed for a long time the only manufacturers of such machines. Their experience in operating the saws, combined with great care and perfection in their manufacture,

into the trough, N, in which the tools of the | and cleaned with acid; the solder is placed in | prevent oscillation there is on each side of the the joints, the piece being large enough to pro- posts a continuous rail or bar, and on the parts ject on all sides; the joints should then be of the cars most likely to come in contact with clasped with a heavy pair of tongs, heated to a the posts are a series of rollers that will act as a consists of fire-proof stones, upon which a to 40 cwt. pig. Such a charge requires from 1½ clasped with a heavy pair of tongs, heated to a the posts are a series of rollers that will act as layer of quartz sand is spread. Three sides to 2 hours for melting, and one-half hour for the full red heat, and held until the solder is well fenders. It seems, however, to be the purpose are closed with hollow cast from plates cooled action of the blast. The waste in from consists melted and runs out of the joint, when the of the inventor to have the cars and locomowith water, viz.: the tuyere-plate b, the blast of from 8 to 15 per cent.; the amount of coke tongs can either be suddenly cooled with water, viz.: plate c and the back-plate d; the fourth, or required is from 35 to 50 lbs. per 100 lbs. fine or removed, as the case may be. For heavy much greater below the center of the wheels

The Wilmington Boiler Explosion. A communication from Wilmington, N. C.,

At fifteen minutes to seven o'clock a terrible facture has become quite exclusive things in explosion was heard and felt all through the Paris, where they are nearly all made at this city, and it soon became known that the boilers The steel for the larger plates, and indeed at Messrs. Colville & Company's steam sawfor the greater number of saws, is made now in mill, at the foot of Walnut street, had ex-England, but the tempering and smithing pro- ploded. About two-thirds of the mill building lay crushed and out of shape. The engine was Saw makers sometimes contract with French | broken, while the boiler house was laid level with the ground. To the north of the spot where the house stood, and about 30 ft. distant, angle of about 20° was found the boiler that was nearest the pump. It is uninjured, with lead to doubtful results, owing to the great the exception of a nole about 6 or 8 in. in dia. meter. The second of the three boilers, being that which was in the center, was found lying Perin Company, of Paris, were the first to in Colville & Co.'s enclosure, and against the fence that divided it from Nutt street. It had been carried a distance of about 200 ft., all except one end, which had taken an opposite direction, passing through the mill, which it shattered, and falling in the river beyond it. The have rendered Perin's blades famous all over and next to the chimney, was taken up and carried through the air a distance of about 450 A New Plan for Single Rail Railways. chimney of another on Nutt street, tearing -Mr. W. K. Reynold's, of St. John, N. B., pro- fences, outhouses and trees, and finally landing poses a plan of railway construction which has in the basement of the building on Front street, at the Vienna Exposition. the merit of novelty, at least. He proposes a occupied above by James Meir and George series of posts or timbers firmly set in the Williams, and below by two colored families. iron plates, through which a current of water is running. F is the front plate, with the tapping tempered, or unannealed portion of the blade:

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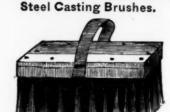
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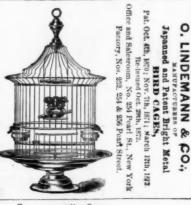
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New Patents.

We take from the records of the patent office at Washington the following specifications of certain patents lately issued, which will be found

IMPROVEMENT IN LINING ROTARY PUDDLING FURNACES.

Specification forming part of Letters Patent No. 136,421, dated March 4, 1873, issued to Samuel Danks, Cincinnati, Ohio.

We publish the following verbatim: This inention relates to a novel method of lining rotary puddling furnaces, and more especially the furnace described in the specifications of former Letters Patent heretofore granted to me.

The material of which improved furnace lin ing is made is a compound of lime and oxide or silicate of iron or other metallic oxides, to which I sometimes add soda or potash, or other alkali, or common salt, or a quantity of all of

In making this compound, I dissolve the lime n water to the consistency of a thick cream If the soda, potash, or salt is to be used, the same should be dissolved in the water before mixing the lime therein. I then add to this cream iron ore well pulverized, or other oxide or silicate, in such proportions as will give the compound the consistency of stiff mortar.

In lining the aforesaid furnace with my im proved compound, I proceed as follows: The part of the inner surface of the revolving cylin der or chamber which occupies the lowest position is first covered with the aforesaid com pound between and over the hollow ribs of the said cylinder. The compound is then dried, or allowed to dry, and becomes quite hard. The cylinder is then turned partially round, the said hollow ribs holding the compound securely in place. By thus turning the cylinder on its axis another portion of its surface is brought to the lowest position, and this portion is covered in like manner with the compound, which in turn is dried or allowed to dry, and the cylinder is again turned partially round, and so on till its entire surface is lined or coated with the afore said compound to a depth of about one inch above the top of the hollow ribs. When dry the said compound is very hard, and will not be displaced or fused by the heat of the furnace.

The aforesaid compound is also applied to the bridge plate and the lower part of the shift able piece described in the said former specifi cations to form a protective lining or coating for the same.

When the aforesaid lining or coating of the cylinder or chamber is dry, I make a fire in the furnace and introduce into the said cylinder pulverized iron ore, or other oxide or silicate of iron, and melt the same in the cylinder, the latter being caused to revolve slowly Then the temperature is slightly reduced to allow the molten oxide or silicate to set upon the surface of the compound and form a vitreous lining or covering thereon. Care must be taken that the ends of the revolving cylinder as well as the circular portions of its inner surface are covered both with the compound and the molten oxide or silicate.

After the first vitreous coating has been allowed to set or harden, a fresh quantity of pulverized iron ore or other oxide of iron is thrown into the cylinder and melted therein. Then the revolution of the furnace is stopped, and the molten ore or oxide forms a bath in the bottom or lower portion of the revolving cylinder or chamber. Into this bath a number of large pieces or lumps of iron ore or oxide of iron, or other metallic oxides or suitable refractory ms terial, are thrown. The molten ore or oxide, being thereby slightly cooled, sets or hardens, holding these pieces embedded in it, with their upper portions projecting above its surface. A further quantity of iron ore or oxide is then thrown into the cylinder and melted, the cylinder being set in motion, as before. When this or spray by water under pressure, or by the fresh quantity of the ore or oxide is melted the cylinder is stopped in a position nearly opposite to its last position; the molten ore or oxide again forming a bath opposite, or nearly so, to that in which the aforesaid pieces are embedded.

Into this bath I also throw a number of large pieces of iron ore, or other metallic oxides or refractory material, which are set in the furnace by the cooling of the bath, with their nace, hearth, or other place where the combusupper portions projecting like those first detion is carried on; and b b is the lower part of scribed. This operation is repeated till five or the chimney. cc is the purifying chamber, the six portions or the entire surface of the cylinder have been set with these projecting pieces, care being taken to cool the molten ore or oxide with the pieces or lumps therein in such posi- side the flue, and open at the top, so as to altions that the cylinder shall remain evenly bal-

anced on its axis. the lining wears it may be repaired from time ing to the nature of the material under comto time by a repetition of the above processes. bustion. The escape of smoke or gases at this In some cases the iron ore or oxide of iron may be melted in a separate furnace and poured in a molten state into the hot revolving chamber level of the water or other liquid. ff is the to form or renew the lining.

Claims.-1. A lining or fettling consisting of the above described compound, applied to the interior of the cylinder of a rotary puddling and is driven at the requisite speed by means furnace, and coated or covered with iron ore or of a band pulley or toothed wheel in connec other oxide or silicate of iron, as herein set tion with the steam engine or other motive forth.

2. The aforesaid lining or fettling of the cylinder of a rotary furnace, when there is fixed other liquid; but, as previously mentioned, it within said lining projecting pieces of iron ore or other suitable refractory material, as herein fet forth for the purpose specified.

IMPROVEMENT IN APPARATUS FOR CONDENSING AND PURIFYING THE SMOKE OF METALLURGIC

Specification forming part of Letters Patent No. 136,066, dated February 18, 1873, issued to of a number of vertical partitions, h h, of William J. Johnson, of Allendale, England:

This invention is designed to effect the condensation and purification of smoke, vapors, water or other liquid so as to prevent any smoke fumes and gases evolved from furnaces, or fumes from passing to the chimney excepthearths, or other places where combustion is ing through the screen. On each side of each carried on; the object of the said invention partition there are fixed, either horizontally or Russian government a duplicate contract, and thirty or forty persons at a time. The whole being to condense, or extract, the soot or un- at an inclination, several laths or ribs, i i, of an will at once commence the manufacture of apparatus will weigh two tons and west consumed carbon, and any metallic, sulphur- angular or other suitable section, the whole 200,000 more revolvers for the Russian army.

the apparatus to be employed for this purpose rows show the course of the smoke or fumes. other liquid, for the purpose of producing a shower, or spray, in combination with an inplained, of a number of partitions provided series of slats, or a screen, or its equivalent, with horizontal ribs, between which the smoke, from which water is caused to fall in a constant fumes or vapor is caused to pass under the in- shower, substantially as described. fluence of the shower, or spray. In any convenient part of the flue, between the furnace, or of a wheel, by which water is thrown upon the hearth, and the chimney, or outlet, a chamber slats, as specified. is formed, the bottom part of which serves as a IMPROVEMENT IN METALLURGIC GAS-FURNACES tank to contain water, or other liquid. Above the surface of such water, or liquid, is mounted No. 135,639, dated February 11, 1873, issued to of 400 feet each, is one of almost superhuman a revolving wheel, or drum, having projections Himan Frank, of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. or wings, on the periphery, which dip into the

ous, deleterious, and other particles that may forming a screen, in passing through which the be contained therein, and to allow the purified smoke or fumes become thoroughly washed vapor only to escape into the atmosphere; and and purified, as previously described. The arconsists, principally, of a revolving wheel, or k, k represent a jet of steam, which may be drum, with projections dipping into water, or placed at the foot of the chimney, if further

Claim 1. The combination, with a flue for the

2. The combination, with the slats, or screen

Specification forming part of Letters Patent

In gas-furnaces the gas and air, which form water, and, as the wheel, or drum, revolves, the elements of combustion, are brought to the will be commenced simultaneously on both throw up a shower, or spray, in an inclined di- mouth of the combustion chamber or bed in rection. In advance of this wheel, and near to separate flues, and are there united or comthe chimney, is a net-work, or an inclined mingled by flowing into each other. It is a screen, constructed of a number of vertical matter of some difficulty to intermix them partitions of graduated hights, those nearest to thoroughly. When this is not done a portion the wheel being the lowest, so that the top of of the air or gas remains unchanged and passes

IMPROVED APPARATUS FOR CONDENSING AND PURIFYING SMOKE.

the partition forms an incline at about the same | off through the neck of the furnace, detracting angle that the shower, or spray, is thrown off from the heat in the chamber, more or less, in smoke, fumes, or vapor passing from the fur- the air and gas, nace, or hearth, to the chimney, or outlet, must also all acids or soluble or insoluble metallic tween the partitions, and only the purified vapor escapes by the chimney or otherwise to the atmosphere. The water from the partitions falls again into the tank, and is used over and por, whether solid or in the form of a solution, nature of the material under combustion.

Instead of a drum or wheel, as above de- d d is to divide the inflowing air and gas into the hands of a wealthy company, who in the scribed, any other means of producing a shower ondensation of steam, might be employed in combination with the screen; and by putting vanes on the wheel and admitting th fume, or vapor at the center, the draft may be greatly accelerated.

The accompanying drawing is a longitudinal section, taken vertically through the apparatus a a is part of the flue leading from the fur bottom part of which forms a tank, d d, for containing the water or other liquid employed, the lowest part of this tank being carried outlow of access to remove the solid or other matters extracted from the smoke or fumes, which The furnace is then ready for puddling. As may be utilized in a variety of manners, accordpoint is prevented by placing the openings e (communicating with the interior) below the wheel for throwing up the spray or shower of water or other liquid. It is mounted on a shaft. power. This wheel is shown in the drawing with tines or pegs dipping into the water or may be made in the form of a fan, so as to increase the draft, in which case the flue would be carried outside the ends, and the smoke or fumes be drawn in round the axle; or other means for throwing up a spray or shower in the manner indicated in the drawing might be employed. The inclined screen or grating consists graduated hights, the partition next to the wheel being the lowest, and dipping into the gas, substantially as described.

from the wheel, or drum. These partitions are proportion to the amount unconsumed; hence provided with laths, ribs, or gratings, set hori- it is desirable to construct the furnace and its contally, or at an inclination, and the whole entrance-flues in the manner which will secure screen is so arranged and situated that the the most intimate and thorough admixture of The object of my invention is to arrange the

necessarily pass through the spaces between air and gas flues in such a manner that they these said partitions, while the shower of wa- shall not direharge their respective currents ter is projected over the top of the same and directly into the furnace-bed, but into an infalls down in a minutely-divided state from one termediate flue leading to the bed, which inlath, rib, or grating to the other between the termediate flue is subdivided by tile in the partitions. By these means all soot or carbon manner hereinafter described, so as to form a in a solid state is washed out of the smoke, and number of passages, through which the air and gas pass on their way to the furnace. The resulphurous, or other particles are removed sult of this construction is a very intimate adtherefrom. In fact, the smoke, fume, or vapor mixture of the air and gas before they enter the becomes thoroughly washed and purified on its combustion chamber. This is further aided by kaolin, granite, freestone, various kinds of marl, passage through the shower or spray and be- the peculiar construction of the bridge, which also forms a portion of my invention.

In the drawing, a represents the air flue, and be the gas flue, which lead up into the bed c. Placed transversely across the mouth of the into a number of small passages, ee. A little entrance to the bed c.

The St. Louis Bridge.

The Missouri Democrat says: The gradua clearing up of the river from the ice that has encumbered it during the winter is hailed with pleasure by Capt. Eads and the engineers and contractors in charge of the construction of the bridge. The completion of this will signalize clined screen constructed, as hereafter ex- passage of the products of combustion, of a the commencement of the work of the superstructure. In other words, the piers and abutments having been almost completed, engineers with a large force of workmen will commence in a few days the final work of constructing the three arches on which the superstructure will be placed.

> The work of throwing the arches, which are instructed of steel tubes, across these spans difficulty. It is not easy to convey on paper an idea of the difficulty of the problem. sides of the river on the construction of the two extreme spans. One quarter of each span will support itself. Should another piece or segment be added the structure would fall of its own weight, and the problem is to construct the arches across the intervening distances. For this purpose heavy frame-work towers are being erected on both abutments, over which huge cables will pass to support the steel arch as it advances to the center of the span. Iron work will crown the top, and hydraulic jacks will be placed under it to support the weight and secure the proper tension of the cables. On the west side the cable is to be sunk in the solid rock to a depth of 25 feet. As the segments of the arch are placed in position they are bound together by diagonal braces until one-quarter of the span is reached. Then the immense cables are brought into requisition, and as another segment is added it is fastened to the remainder of the arch until it, too, can be braced. Then the cable is loosened and again brought in requisition for the addition of another segment.

> This is the mode of the construction of the spans. The cast and west spans, it is said, will be begun and finished simultaneously, when work on the two center spans will be commenced. The contract for the superstructure is in the hands of the Keystone Bridge Com-

> The present prospects are most encouraging. Car-loads of steel work, which is supplied by the Midvale Steel Works, of Philadelphia, are arriving daily. Up to this time 4,800,000 pounds. about nine-tenths of the whole amout needed, have been delivered. Unless unexpected obstacles occur, the arches will be raised, the superstructure and approaches completed, and the bridge in its entirety completed early next fall.

Mineral Resources of Kansas

Recent geological surveys show that the State of Kansas promises mineral resources which are to be extensive and important. Coal of good quality has been found to extend through twelve counties. Iron, lead and zinc are abundant, and the deposits of gypsum and manganese are comparatively inexhaustible. Copper is found in paying quantities, and marble, whet and limestone, rock crystal, mineral paints, grindstones, and slate are distributed throughout the State.

The Kellogg Lead Mines afford an insight into the mineral deposits of the State. These mines are located about ten miles northeast of over again. The soot or carbon, and also the other matters extracted from the smoke or vad, which divide the entrance flue K to the bed and Fulton Railroad. The mines are in a very deep valley, lower than the bed of the Arkansas may be extracted from the wash-water and in advance of the opening e e is a bridge, f, River, where the lead crops out. These mines utilized in a variety of ways, according to the having a reduced opening, g, which forms the have only been operated at intervals and to a The object of the tile very small extent, but recently have passed into

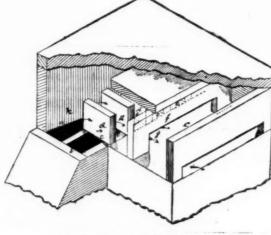
spring will comm active operations. The deposit is found in parallel fissure veins, that crop out at intervals of a distance of about three miles. The se have been pene trated only about forty feet, with increasing deposits. About 350 tons of galena have been taken out.

The deposit is posed principally of argentiferous galena, zine blende, copper pyrites and feldspathic

This galena never yields less than \$40 to the ton of lead, and has yielded as nigh as \$400. Copper in small quantities is found.

small currents for the purpose of often containing as high as 24 ounces of silestimates of the deposit of silver and gold are from the official assay of the mint at Philadelphia, and the United States Assay office at New York.

> Prof. Tacchella has invented a working model which serves as a fire escape and a fire-proof, self-supporting fire ladder. In less than three minutes time it becomes a fire proof tower, on which there are two hoses on the top and eight or ten firemen; two abreast can work through metal windows on the fire. Placed before open windows where fire is pouring out, it is claimed that it cannot even become warm. It is raised by a semicircular gear or cog-wheel turned by four cranks, and four men only are necessary to put it in operation. The fire escape is an endless canvas working on two rollers, saving



IMPROVEMENT IN METALLURGIC GAS FURNACES.

causing their more intimate intermixture; and ver and two and a half of gold to the ton. the object of the bridge f with the reduced while the argentiferous copper has yielded as opening g is to draw the currents into one curhigh as from \$1000 to \$4000 to the ton. These ent again for the same purpose. The bridge is removable through openings in the sides of the furnace, so as to facilitate repairs.

Claim.—1. The tile d d, placed in the mouth of the furnace for the purpose of dividing the inflowing volume of gas and air into a number of smaller currents, for the purpose of causing their more intimate admixture prior to their entrance into the combustion chamber or bed, substantially as described.

2. The fire bridge f, having a contracted or reduced opening, g, in combination with the tile d d, for the purpose of causing the more intimate admixture of the inflowing air and

3. The fire bridge f, made removable, substantially as and for the purposes described.

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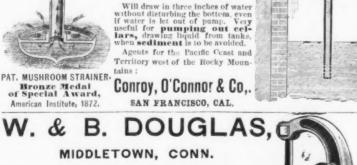
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The Minerals of New Jersey.

We take the following from the annual repor of Mr. Geo. H. Cook, State Geologist, of New Jersey, just issued:

MAGNETIC IRON ORE.

The mines of magnetic iron ore continue to be worked with vigor, and the number of localities furnishing ore are steadily increasing under the impetus from the urgent demands of the furnaces for larger supplies. All of the mines which were included in the report of last year, have been worked a portion if not all the past season, and their number has been in creased by the resumption of work at several old mines which had been idle since the close of the war. In the iron districts of Morris county larger quantities of ore have been raised this year than ever before, the Hibernia mines having furnished a total of 90,000 tons to the Hibernia Mine Railroad for the eleven months of the year; whereas, in 1871, they sent only 80,000 tons. At Mount Hope a large excess is reported over the returns of last year. The shipments of the Ogden Mine Railroad will be about the same as in 1871. The ore tonnage of the Morris and Essex Division of the Delavare, Lackawanna and Western Railroad is 404, 832 tons, while that of 1871 was only 232,966being nearly one hundred per cent, increase More than four-fifths of this is the product of the mines of this county

The completion of the New Jersey Midland Railway has given a new outlet to the mines of parts of Sussex, Morris and Passaic counties and already several of them are sending their ores over this road. The branch of this rail road which is now being constructed in the valley of the Ringwood creek and along Greenwood Lake traverses a district particularly promising, and affords an easy outlet for the rich and extensive ore deposits of Ringwood Some recent discoveries of large ore outerope near this new line are reported, so that its propective tonnage is large, and the addition of the product of this portion of the State to the aggregate of all our mines may be equal to that contributed by the most extensively worked of the old localities or districts. When it is considered that only one-seventh of the surface of the Highland range lying north of the Morris and Essey Railroad is cleared land, and that hitherto, small deviations of the compass (or light attractions) have been regarded as un worthy of further attention or testing, and that ore when found has been of little more value than so much rock from the adjacent strata in consequence of a lack of cheap transportation, it becomes apparent that the mineral wealth of this portion of the State is comparatively unknown, and that there is a field for all interested in the development of its natural resour ces, or in the mining of iron ore.

In Warren county there has been a great deal of prospecting in the way of surface operations, especially in the vicinity of Hacketts town, and thence southward toward Washington; but, thus far, they have not yielded any very definite results. Ore has been uncovered in many places, but in most instances it has been found as a constituent mineral of granitic and syenitic dykes-more rarely in gneissic Much searching with the dipping needle has been over such ore-bearing rock and in some cases it has misled explorers. And in this connection it may be stated that while such rock masses may be closely related to ore beds, the probabilities of their leading to such beds or veins are not strong enough to justify much labor or expense in the search after them. This geological feature is not confined to this portion of Warren county here mentioned, since it can be seen at many points in the gneiss rock formation. But there is a marked distinction between this mode of occurrence and that of the regular ore beds, or veins, as they are commonly called. These latter have definite and well marked walls of rock, and the oremasses conform to the strata of the rock. The dykes may be conformable to the adjacent beds, but, generally, they are not so, sometimes cuting across the strata. In nearly all cases they are true veins, or dykes, and the distinction between them and the beds of ore, or veins as the erm is commonly employed, should be more requently borne in mind by all engaged in such earches, as attention to this Thenomenon will save both time and money.

nines opened two years ago have yielded large ly, and new outcrops have added to the reputation of this newly discovered ore belt. The Pequest and Kishpaugh mines have been vigorously worked, and have demonstrated the expercentage of metallic iron, which is 58.5 per masses

same long lime of outcrop is what is termed the Redell mine, about a mile and a half north. In the last annual report reference was made are on a strike.

west of Oxford. Here the crystalline lime-stone is but a few rods from the ore, and this, too, contains manganese. So that these west border, as compared with those of the ore beds throughout the gueiss-rock formation

of our State. The heavier the interests the more work in the follows, as a natural sequence, the adoption of italists, more particularly in these days of high priced iron. And as a matter which favors the development of our resources, it is here recommended as worthy of consideration.

HEMATITES.

The total product of the hematite mines of the State is greater than it was in 1871, but the localities where such ore has been mined are the same as given in the annual report of that year. In Sussex county, the Pochuck, Cedar Hill and Edsall mines have been worked a part of the year. At the Pochuck mine a tunnel is the railroad. The workings are under ground, old mine, and on the east side of the ridge. Here the rock, west of the ore, is the white pit has been sunk through this top stratum. crystalline limestone which forms the mass of containing much clay, and an auger can easily the ridge, while under the ore, on the southeast, a silicious conglomerate, consisting of be driven through these materials. white quartz pebbles in a grayish matrix, also silicious, crops out. Further work will show the true relations of these rocks and the ore at this interesting locality. Both of these mines ery of additional localities where hematite may are owned and worked by the Franklin Iron be obtained in workal-le quantities. And the Company. The early completion of their large great extent of magnesian limestone outcrops West and southwest of Hackettstown, along the east side of Jenny Jump mountain, the ate a demand for the ore of these mines, and offers a wide field for such discoveries. In all

Warren county, have been idle most of the to be determined before the digging of trial-pits year. Quite recently they have come into the or boring is attempted. istence of large and profitable veins where the possession of the Musconetcong Iron Works, surface indications were slight, and were for a and a more vigorous working of this deposit ong time overlooked as not sufficiently marked may be expected in the future. South of the to warrant any further exploration. Near the northeast end of this mountain range several joining farms, this ore has been found in workreins have been discovered on the Howell farm. able quantities. These discoveries, with the This lies west of the Johnsonburg road, and results of borings made on the lands of the between it and the Great Meadows. The dig- companies above mentioned, indicate an extengings are on a white limestone ridge near its sive bed or deposit of ore. It lies between the at these mines at the present time. orthern end. This limestone is mixed with outcrops of the limestone and the slate, and granite, stratite, and other yet undetermined deeper excavations will no doubt show that it rock species, the relations of which are not rests upon the limestone. From these mine but not so largely as to greatly reduce the of diluvial origin-that is, boulders and boulder

In the Pohatcong valley, near New Village, Between this and the Kishpaugh mine, ore there is a hematite locality near the site of about to dawn upon his country. nas been found at a number of points, but the some old diggings for this ore. The Carpenterlocalities are not yet sufficiently developed to ville mine, near the Delaware river at Carpenrequire any further notice. Apparently on this terville, is the only deposit of this ore in that

outcrops may be said to be characterized and the following data collected: The exploraby the presence of manganese and their tions were made under the superintendence of association with crystalline limestone. To- Isaac Hummer for J. Taylor & Co., of High ward the northeast a manganiferous iron Bridge. They were confined to the central and ore occurs at the mine worked some years eastern portions of the valley, close to the pub. ago by the Glendon Iron Company, and lic road which runs northward from California hence known as the Glendon mine. This is into Morris county, and at the foot of the Fox about two miles southwest of Andover. Near Hill range. The mode of search was by test the latter village is the noted Andover mine, pits or wells sunk in the overlying earth, mixed and a little further eastward is the Roseville clay, and ore deposits, from fifteen to forty feet mine, at both of which the same association of minerals may be observed. Still further to the half to three feet. A pick and a spade, with northeast are the iron mines at Franklin Furhandles about a foot long, were the only tools nace. Corresponding with this line of ore out-crop, there is the longer line of white, or crys-loisting of the materials was in buckets holdtalline, limestone, extending from Mounts Eve ing about fifty pounds of dirt each, and was and Adam, in Orange county, New York, to done by the aid of a windlass made so light as Marble mountain at the Delaware River, and to be easily moved from pit to pit by a couple skirting the northwest border of the Azoic for- of men. With these helps two men were able mation throughout its whole length. The age to do all the work. The cost of digging these of this limestone, and the rocks of this north- pits, aside from the tools and hoisting gear which were furnished the laborers, was twenty-Highland range further to the east and south- five cents per vertical foot. And here it may be east, is unsettled. Whatever it may be, the as- stated that in the Lehigh Valley the contrac sociation of this ore with the limestone, and the for digging such pits or wells, two and a hal almost universal presence of manganese, are to three feet in diameter and up to fifty feet in remarkable, and indicate the possibility of finding some order in the distribution of the iron per foot, being more expensive the greater the depth. At this apparently low cost laborers make good wages, an experienced man being It is impossible at this time to get sufficient able, under favoring circumstances, to go down eturns of the ore carried by the railroad and twenty feet in a day. Such an easy, and, comcanal lines from stations within the State, and so to get at the total product of the iron ore mirably adapted to explorations for hematites, district; but from data received from some of ochres, clays, or other earthy materials where the companies, and from estimates by those well acquainted with the mining operations of encountered, and is here recommended to all the State, the aggregate amount for 1872 may desirous of testing ground for such minerals. be put at 600,600 tons. At five dollars per ton, this would give \$3,000,000 as its value at the were sunk, and in most of them ore was found. As compared with the other States of A few on the upper or eastern side of the road the Union, New Jersey stands fourth, being exceeded by Pennsylvania, New York and Michisurface. One west of the stream, and in the gan. And yet, as large as this may appear, it valley flat, sunk to a depth of forty feet, was in s considerably less than the present capacity of blue limestone, after passing through the coverthe mines as now working, and far below what ing of earth. The ore found in these holes was might be done under more comprehensive in small masses or concretions, mixed with yelplans, which would result from more extended lowish earth and a white sandy clay, such as genexaminations as to the extent of the veins, or erally accompanies hematite. All the holes in which would follow from the consolidation of interests or a co-operation in mining opera-showing a thickness of twenty-five feet of ore. tions. In many instances these could be very From these explorations it appears probable that much simplified and the capacity of a vein greatly increased by uniting the management. but extending for some distance lengthwise the valley near the western base of the gneissic way of exploration becomes possible, and then ridge. At present, the nearest railroad to this ore deposit is at Chester, seven miles away, in more comprehensive and economical modes of a direct line. High Bridge is about the same mining. In view of these facts, and the prob-able constancy of the large veins even beyond road traversing the valley and connecting these workable depths, the acquisition of mine prop- points this deposit would, according to present erty and the consolidation of interests is a prospects, yield largely. And here the state-subject that should attract the attention of capment of the report for 1871, in regard to the occurrence of hematites, may be repeated, viz : 'As ore is most generally found near the borders of the limestone outcrop, either between the gneiss (or gray rock) of the bounding ridges and the limestone, or between the latter rock and the overlying slate, searches should be confined more particularly to such lines of outcrop. Explorations should, however, extend over the whole breadth of these valleys, as it is sometimes found resting upon the limestone strata, covered by quite thick beds of ferruginous loam, clay, or other earthy matter." And in being driven through the narrow ridge east of such searches recourse may often be had to the old openings, so as to afford an easier and boring instead of digging. This is much quicker more expeditious mode of getting the ore to and cheaper, and preferable in not disturbing so much of the soil or any crop growing upon the and the deposit resembles that of some of our ground. Stony strata, or those containing cobmagnetic iron ore beds in its gneissic rock ble-stone or large boulders, cannot be readily walls, which dip at a high angle toward the penetrated by an auger, but such stony beds southeast. The recently opened Cedar Hill are not common over hematites, or, if so, they mine is a short distance northeast from the constitute a thin, superficial, drift layer, and, in such cases, the boring could be started after a Generally, the covering consists of earthy beds,

The increasing demand for iron ores will undoubtedly lead to the examination of much ground hitherto unnoticed, and to the discovface is necessary, as the presence of loose pieces The hematite mines near Beattyestown, in of float ore in the soil is one of the first features

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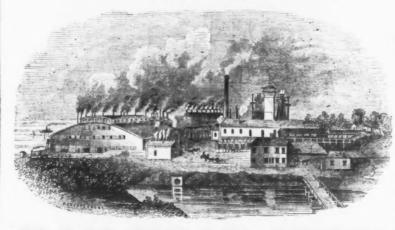
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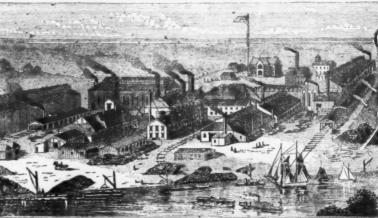
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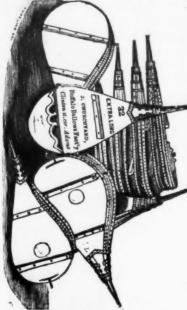
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The mechanical details of the lifting apparatus will be understood from the following decription of the apparatus in one tower: At the top of the tower are four drums, secured to separate shafts, and rotating in strong plumber blocks, which are bedded and bolted securely to the stone work. Each drum is controlled by separate brake, and the four brakes are aplied or eased at one and the same time. Over nust be understood that the balances are ridge on its bed, and before the bridge can be lifted, it is necessary to add the requisite bronze, weight of water to the tanks of the balances. The tank at the top of the tower contains the rater for supplying the balance tanks. This ank is kept constantly supplied with water by means of a centrifugal pump in each tower, of a fleet of swift vessels, of 4000 tons each, to position of the tower tank would be immediately below the floor. But if preference should be given keel of the first boat will be laid in a few days. for the use of steam power, then "one pump," with its small vertical boiler and engine, could supply both the tower tanks, viz., by laying along the bridge water pipes, with a "fall" from the pump to the opposite tower tank; and to the end nearest the pump would be secured a leather hose provided with a union for attaching it to the pump mouth. By this arrangement the water would be passed across the river when the bridge was at the top of the towers. Each tower tank would contain a double of manufacturers, held to further this project, supply of water, or sufficient for two attention was called to the results that had follifts. The water, when withdrawn from the balances at the tower bottom, is conducted into a tank within the turret, from whence from 60,000 to 80,000 persons. This wool fair in it is again pumped to the tank at the top Cincinnati was followed by the establishment of By this arrangement salt water can be used in the winter season, and eminently successful. An exposition in Chithe usual dangers to be apprehended from frost considerably reduced, if not altogether rendered impossible.

The action of the lifting apparatus is as fol-We will suppose the bridge is in its position upon the abutments, and we are about to a committee of influential citizens was appointed, 'lift" it. We first tighten the brakes, and turn a sand glass as we open the water valve for filling tanks of the balances, which we shut as soon as the sand runs down. The tanks are now full, and we proceed to ease and control the brakes, while the loaded balances are lifting the bridge. It has now reached its position at the top of the towers; we attach the hose of the bridge pipes to the pump, and proceed to pass over the water to the tank of the opposite tower. To lower the bridge, we first tighten the brakes, and pull back the lever for opening the valves which withdraw the water from the balances. The time occupied in emptying the balances is again measured by the sand glass. The balances being now empty, are lighter than the bridge; we proceed to ease and control the brakes until the bridge is again in its place ready for the passage of railway trains.

Phosphorized Bronze.

Immediately after the siege of Paris, inquiries and experiments were made in all directions into the relative qualities of bronze and steel for cannon; amongst the metals tried was phosphorized bronze, of which MM. Monteflore, Levy and Kunzel claimed to be the inventors This claim is now refuted, and it appears that sixteen years ago the very same alloy was introduced to the French artillery by two officers, MM. De Reulz and A. de Fontenay. The ques tion of priority of invention has little general interest; it is that of the qualities of the metallic mixture itself which concerns practical men. Respecting this, we have now very diverse testimony. In the years 1870 and 1871 a series of experiments were made at Liege, in presence of a commission of artillery officers of all nations, and the results were described in a pamphlet by M. Levy as highly favorable to the alloy in question. It is stated in that work that an ordinary bronze gun founded at Liege having been fired forty-nine times with a charge of one kilogramme of powder and a shot was so seriously injured that it was impossible to continue the experiments with it, while another gun of the same calibre-made of the new phosphorized bronze, and fired with the same charge, and the same number of times, exhibited no sensible injury whatever. Further comparative trials with bursting charges gave results equally favorable to the new metal. In this case guns of each kind were fired under the same conditions, five times each, commencing with one kilogramme of powder and a single shot, and carried as high as 1% kilos., with a cylinder of the mark.

The Proposed Lifting Bridge at Middles- weight of three shot, with one charge of 11/2 kilos, of powder and two shot, and still more se with the same amount of powder and a cylinder equal to three shot. The interior of the chamher of both guns was visibly enlarged, but rather more so in the case of the old than of the new metal gun. Finally, the phosphorized bronze gun burst with a charge of 11/4 kilos. of powder and a cylinder equal to three shot, while the ordinary bronze piece burst with 114 kilos. of powder and a cylinder of equal weight. These out in the tower, who, after exchanging signals experiments seemed conclusive, but the French government ordered further trials to be made proceed to raise the bridge 40 feet from its bed at Bourges and other places by a commission of artillery officers, with bronze guns of various alloys, and of foreign as well as French make. The results as between ordinary and phosphor ized bronze are very different from those obtained at Liege.

The projectile used at Bourges were long solid shot, weighing from 10 kilos, to 20 kilos, for guns of 4, with charges of powderranging from the ordinary quantity to 1700 grammes, the communication with the signal posts and near stations, and give directions to his companion grammes and a 10 kilos. shot the phosphorized With a charge of 1500 bronze gun began to show cracks, while the ordinary bronze gun exhibited no serious injury whatever. The experiments were afterward continued with full charges of powder and 20 kilos, projectiles; at the seventeenth or eighteenth firing the phosphorized bronze gun burst and produced a number of small fragments, without any appearance of enlargment of the circumference; at the nineteenth round the ordinary bronze metal gun also burst, nearly half of the piece being blown off in one mass, which, as well as the rest of the gun, exhibited expansion of the metal with longitudinal fissures. these drums hang the chains by which the ordinge is attached to the balance frames. It ordinary bronze used for guns exhibits at least as much resisting power as phosphorized bronze, lighter than the bridge, and when empty their position is at the top of the tower, and the end to the superior claims of phosphorized

> A New Fleet of Merchant Ships .- The Barrow Iron Shipbuilding Company have entered into contracts with the Barrow-in-Furness trade between Barrow and New York. The Messrs, Little & Co., have also ordered a fleet of screw steamers, with powerful compound engines, for the extension of the trade between Barrow and the continent and for coasting pur-

A Grand Industrial Exposition in or near Chieago, commencing October 9th, to commemorate the second anniversary of the great fire, is now under consideration in that city. At a meeting of manufacturers, held to further this project, lowed the exposition of woolen products held in 1870 in Cincinnati, which was visit ed daily by the Exposition Association, which had proved isgo, it was thought, would bring from \$3,000,000 to \$5,000,000 into the city, together with the visitors from other places. A bulding 200 feet wide and 2640 feet long was suggested as the proper size for the structure. To carry out these views, with instructions to request the Northwestern Wool Manafacturers' Assocation to hold its next annual exposition at Chicago at the same time.

The following table of the com parative value of California coals has been determined by a series of careful experiments made by the United States government at Mare Island. The experiments were made with reference to determining the amount of the several kinds of coal which would be required for a calorific equivalent to a cord of the best oak wood, obtained in this market. The result is as follows:

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American arms manufacturers may be interested to know that the German government has decided to carry out a series of experiments this year in order to test the most recent inventions in fire arms, beginning with the improved revolvers used in France, Sweden and England, and also to conclude the experiments with the mitrailleuses captured from France in the late war.

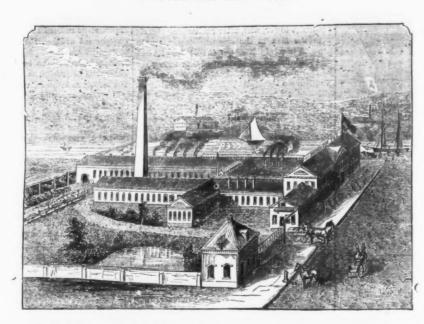
It is proposed to construct a new bridge across the Thames from a point nearly oppo-site the tower of Bermondsey, on the Surrey side of the river. The bridge is to consist of five spans, the center span to be 400 feet wide, with two other spans at either side 90 feet wide and 70 feet respectively. The altitude of the center span will be upward of 29 feet above high-water

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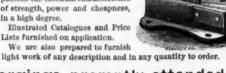
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BUSINESS ITEMS.

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The Glendon Iron Company's works, at Glendon, consumes 100,000 tons of ore yearly, 85,000 tons of coal and 50,000 tons of limestone The company have a capital of over \$1,000,000, employ 450 men, and disburse monthly, for wages alone, \$50,000. The ores used are the hematite of this locality and the magnetic of New Jersey.

The new sheet mill at Easton has a capacity of about 25 tons per week.

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The National Locomotive Works of Dawson & Bailey, at Connellsville, employ 120 men, and turn out at the rate of two engines per month. The Susquehanna Rolling Mill is undergoing

Stewart & Co.'s wire mill, at South Easton, is the largest in the United States. It was established in 1836, for the manufacture of all sorts and sizes of wire, from the hair thread to the bridge cable. The mill has a capacity of about 40 tons per day. The capital is about \$250,000, and nearly 200 hands are employed, the pay roll peing some \$25,000 per month.

Mechanicsburg has subscribed \$15,000 toward a proposed car factory in that town.

Two new furnaces are in course of erection at Cornwall, Lebanon county.

CONNECTICUT.

The Fitchville Manufacturing Co., at Bozrah, will erect a large mill in addition to their present workshop.

MASSACHUSETTS.

Messrs. Alger & Co., of South Boston, are casting several fifteen-inch guns for the Argen-tine republic, and the Watertown arsenal workmen are manufacturing heavy sea-coast carriages for the same government.

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Carnes, Agerter & Co., Lima, manufacturers of steam engines, boilers, circular saw mills, &c., have been established since the year 1869. Their foundry is 36x70 feet, blacksmith shop 15x28, machine shop 70x70, and two stories, wareroom 35x70. They employ 60 men, and use 120,000 lbs. of pig iron per year. They are building from 30 to 40 complete engines and saw mills per annum, and ship to various States. They make a specialty of direct-acting circular saw mills. All their work is warranted. They are filling a large contract for castings for the Dayton and Michigan Railroad.

The Cleveland Iron Company—George L. Ingersoll, president, William Bingham, vice-president, and S. A. Fuller, secretary and treasurer -employ 500 men at an average of about \$2.50 per day in the manufacture of pig iron, railway bars, merchant bar, spikes, splices, bolts and nails. They use from 250 to 300 tons of coal

will be commenced at once.

NEW JERSEY.

The Watson Bridge Company, of Paterson, are building 14 bridges for a railroad in Costa Rica, Central America. Also one for Morris county, to cross the Whippany River, to be about 85 feet long, which will be finished in a couple of weeks; also one for Newark, to cross the Morris canal at Sussex avenue, to be 56 feet longs, and to cost about \$11,000; also one for Jersey City, to cross the Morris canal, which will cost \$20,000. On this bridge the floor is to be laid on brick arches resting on iron beams, and to be paved with Belgian pavement. One of the Fourth avenue (New York) improvement bridges was completed last week. It is 600 feet long, and cost between \$35,000 and \$40,000

Beckwith's Iron Works, at Paterson, have been materially enlarged recently.

The Warren Foundry, at Phillipsburg, makes a specialty of the manufacture of water pipes, which are sent to various parts of the United States and South America. The company has been organized, to operation the Cascade region. The company consists of Henry Wick, and others of Cieveland, and F. W. Judd, of Flint, Mich., secretary and manager. The company is known as the Home Iron Mining and Manufacturing Company. The lands are rich in a red specular ore peculiar to the locality, and the company is the Home Iron Mining and Manufacturing company. The lands are rich in a red specular ore peculiar to the locality, and the Company is the Home Iron Mining and Manufacturing company. The lands are rich in a red specular ore peculiar to the locality, and the Company is the Home Iron Mining and Manufacturing company consists of Henry Wick, and others of Cieveland, and F. W. Judd, of Flint, Mich., secretary and manager. The company is the Morris canal, which will be shipped manufacturing to peculiar to the locality, and the Cascade region. The company for the adspect or peculiar to the locality, and the Cascade region. The company is the Morris canal, which will be shipped in section of the stream in the cascade region. The company i THE TRAVELERS has Cash Assets of ment bridges was completed last week. It is

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Mr. Geo. W. Miller, Providence, has been enraged in the manufacture of safes for the past 20 years, adding valuable improvements from time to time, and the safes, as manufactured to-day, enjoy a high reputation. The production of the two factories, one in Providence and one in Baltimore, Md., has for a long time exceeded 100 fire-proof safes per month, together with large contracts on bank work. The new treasury vaults at Washington were built by these makers, and they have in process of con struction another vault for the government. These safes have been severely tested in the recent great fires, and the makers claim that not single safe was lost.

The Union Eyelet Company, of Providence, one of the largest concerns of the kind in the United States. Their machinery is patented and sed by them exclusively. They manufacture

its cars to railroad or transportation companies and individuals, and a transportation companies and individuals, and a transportation companies are freight line. The capital stock is \$100,000, which may be increased to \$500,000. About \$80,000 has been already subscribed, and three acres of ground have been purchased at Wilkinsburg, as a site for the car works. The erection of buildings will be commenced when the season opens, and the entire establishment completed at an early day.

Lewis, Oliver & Phillips, at their Birmingham works, use a large double steam punch, and have lately been cutting from iron plate of about No. 10 gauge, and at a single stroke of the machine, a piece of about the area of 10x18 inches. This punching machine weighs about 31,000 pounds, and was made by Lewis & Rossiter. A similar punch was made for Spuyten Duyvil Rolling Mill Company, of New York, weighing 35,000 pounds. These machines have their own engines, and in some cases they are made to drive other machinery beside the punch, of which they form a part.

The Huntingdon Journal states that but one of the Greenwood furnaces is in blast. It yields 37 tons of charcoal iron per week. The other will be put in blast about the middle of May. 300 men are now employed.

The National Locomotive Works of Dawson & Bailey, at Connellsville, employ 120 men, and

MISSOURI,

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The Vulcan Iron Works, at South St. Louis, are now turning out about 96 tons of finished rails a day. A few days since they finished 30 complete rails in 31 minutes. All of the employes are paid by the ton, and the system is found to work admirably. They are now using equal parts of red short, blue specular and brown hematite ores. A new furnace is being erected on the south side of the works, next to the river Des Peres.

A new company called the Salem Iron Company, of St. Louis, has been incorporated for the purpose of mining iron ore, coal and other minerals, of smelting said ores, and manufacturing all articles that may be made from iron or steel. Capital stock, \$100,000, with privilege to increase the same to \$300,000. William Spear, Joseph P. Card, William J. Lewis, and Benj. W. Lewis, of St. Louis, and A. B. Meeker, of Chicago, are named directors for the first year. The mines of the company are located in Dent county, but the general office will be in St. Louis.

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ILLINOIS.

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After a good many reports to that effect, without any certainty of their truth, the Chicago, Alton, and St. Louis Railroad Company has finally decided to construct a bridge across the Mississippi, at Louisiana. Its completion will give the line, with its connections, an unbroken route to Kansas City.

Following is the capacity per week of the Joliet Iron and Steel Works, at Joliet: Two blast furnaces at Joliet; Two blast furnaces at Holiego, 350 tons; two blast furnaces at Chicago, 350 tons; Bessemer plant, Ingots, 700 tons; new rail mill, rails, 1000 tons; old rail mill, 600 tons; puddle mill, muck bar, 250 tons; coke works, 175 tons. The coal washers produce 150 tons of washed slack per day. The fire brick works are capable of making 3,000,000 bricks per year. The shops are of sufficient capacity to keep in repair all these works and a second Bessemer works and merchant mill; also to construct most of the machinery required for further extensions. The officers are: President, A. B. Mecker; secretary and treasurer, John II. Wrenn; superintendent, J. T. Torrence.

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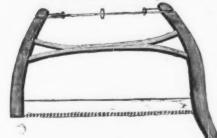
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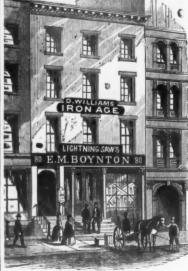


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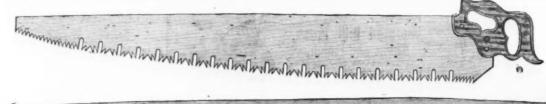
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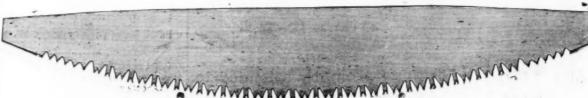
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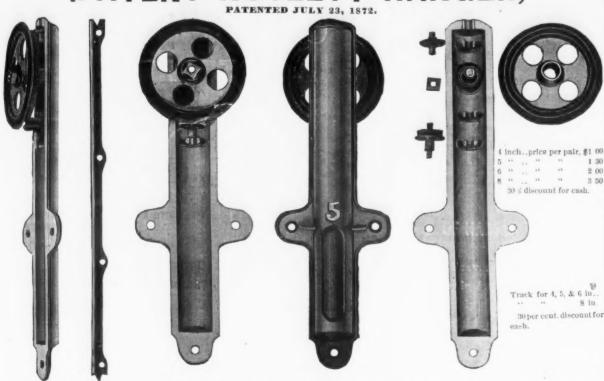
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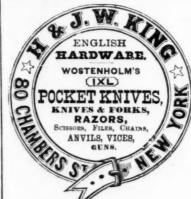
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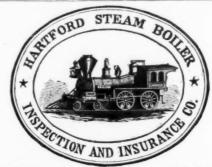
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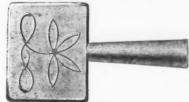


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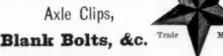




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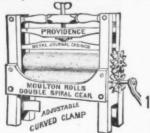
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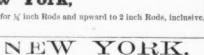
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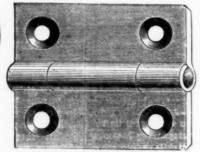
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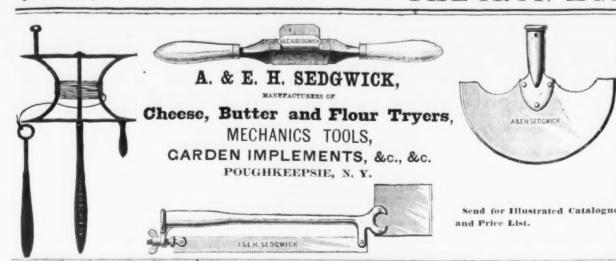
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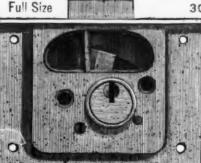
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End of the Great Welsh Strike-A Story With a Moral.

It is to be hoped that the deluded trade unionists of this and other cities, who contemplate taking part in the threatened general strike for the eight hour system, will spend a few moments of their earliest leisure in reading the story of the great strike in South Wales, and meditating upon the moral which that story naturally suggests. The facts are, briefly, as follows: Early in December last the Welsh coal and iron mas- failure, or, more properly, come short of aster will show where the responsibility the effect of stimulating Mr. Vanderbitt, and ters gave notice of a reduction of ten per cent. in wages, after the beginning of the many attempts have been made during the are to blame will be held to a strict ac- railroads, to redeem some of their many accordance with the terms of the existing "basis," which authorized the gas by decomposing water, separating the of negligence is evident, from the fact that masters to increase or decrease wages, ac- oxygen from the hydrogen, and carbonizing he left the vessel in charge of a subordinate cording to the average price of iron for the the latter by means of petroleum or some at a time when, if ever, he should have exquarter preceding. As long as the tendency other bituminous product, that we were not ercised the keenest vigilance; but he is not of wages was steadily upward the men were disposed to accept without question even alone to blame. Had the ship been properly satisfied, but when it came the masters' turn the testimony of our intelligent English corto profit by the "basis," the men gave no- respondent that the process had been econtice that they would not accept the reduction. A conference was then held, at which manufacture of cheap gas tor heating and the masters produced abundant proof that illuminating purposes. But the statement they were entitled to make the reduction has been so abundantly confirmed that we proposed, but the men, having no case, de- no longer have any good reason to doubt its manded that the whole question should be truth, or to believe that the inventor has submitted to a board of arbitration for ad- succeeded in imposing upon the scientific aujustment. To this the masters would not thorities and experts who have examined accede, claiming that there was nothing to his process in all its details. Mr. Ruck's arbitrate upon, and that, as the principle of system, which is now in practical applicaarbitration had utterly failed in the North of tion at the Battersea Park gas works, is cer- The captain of the ill-fated Atlantic may England, there was no reason to expect any tainly cheap and simple. The hydrogen is better results of it in South Wales. The obtained by passing steam through a retort worse fate, the agents and owners of the rejection of this plausible and always popu- filled with incandescent coke, with which line may be censured, and there the matter lar expedient furnished the men a sufficient scraps of old iron have been mixed. The will end. pretext for a strike, and one was accordingly oxygen of the steam attaches itself to the declared. From forty to sixty thousand iron, forming scales of black rust, and the elers against accidents resulting, as in the workmen either abandoned their work or hydrogen passes into the purifying chamber, case of the Atlantic, from preventable were forced to stand idle because of the carrying with it a small percentage of car- causes ? So far as courts of inquiry and law withdrawal of the union men from the bonic acid, carbonic oxide, and certain sul- making bodies are concerned, none at all. trades which the unions controlled, and it phurous vapors, which are entirely removed Laws cannot be framed which will reach would contest the question of the proposed reduction to the end, cost what it might. was generally understood that the men by passing through oxide of iron in the those who are responsible, primarily, for the reduction to the end, cost what it might. nearly pure hydrogen, is then ready for use of incompetent or unfaithful officers, and to gunpowder were at first fed into the cap-piece draught were strongest the carbonic acid would

been promised. The masters, on the other cating the presence of carbonic oxide. In repairs the mischief done nor tends to prehand, were resolute and united, and as it was this form the gas is said to cost 7d. per 1000 vent like mischlef in the future. The remegenerally understood to be a test issue, both | feet-an amount sufficient, if economically | dy, if there be any, lies with the traveling parties prepared for a long contest, each employed, to vaporize 50 gallons of water- public. If the owners of a line of ships confident of success.

ending, we have not space to speak in detail. luminating purposes it is made to pass Those who had undertaken to support their through refined petroleum of a specific gravfamilies upon the pittances doled out to them tity of about 680, which is said to impart to by the unions, found that they had brought it a luminosity equal to 161/2 candle power, those dependent upon them to misery. The in an argand burner, with a flow of about outside assistance was not to be depended five cubic feet per hour. In this form the upon, and the greatest distress prevailed gas is said to cost only 1s. 8d. per 1000 feet, lus to the intelligent performance of his throughout the entire district. Families or a little more than one half the cost per lived upon credit as long as credit was al- 1000 feet of the ordinary coal gas consumed charity in hunger and cold. The whole coal at 26s. per ton. To bring the hydrocommunity, so lately in the enjoyment of gen up to a good standard of luminosity reunexampled prosperity, was impoverished, quires the volitilization of one and one-half and many instances are reported in which gallons of petroleum per 1000 feet, but by families were kept from starvation only by this means the volume of the gas is inthe open handed liberality of the masters, whose losses, though heavy, did not harden their hearts to the misery around them. Well, the strike lasted about eleven weeks, testimony. Nature, a high scientific auand then came to an end, as we predicted it thority, and beyond the reach of influences would, in the unconditional surrender of the men without any reference to the official ac- ductors with regard to an invention of this tion of the unions. They had lost everything they had to lose, and gained only the at low temperatures have demonstrated knowledge derived from bitter experience, and from the humiliating consciousness that luminating power by being conducted for they had been made fools of by demagogues organs of the unions accept the issue in silence: not so the men. Their joy at the prospect of once more earning their old wages has tound vociferous expression in public demonstrations, processions, banners, brass bands and blank cartridges. The result is hailed with delight throughout all Great Britain; but the true cause for rejoicing is not so much in the fact that the masters have triumphed over the men, as that the men have triumphed over the unions, which strove to the last to prolong the strike. The men did in the end what they should have independence of the few adroit agitators idleness and misery. They did not want to strike in the first place; it was the ternal needed is not great. unions, or, rather, the professional agitators controlling the unions, who crowded them into it: and while these mischief makers will, doubtless, continue to ply their trade to regard with some suspicion the unqualias a means of hvelihood, it will probably be many years before they will again find ing English scientific and technical journals in South Wales a promising field of operations.

To the American workingman this story South Wales, to learn from defeat and discomfiture the unprofitableness of making war upon their own interests under the leadership of their worst enemies, the professional agitators.

Making Gas Without Coal.

If all that we are told about Ruck's new process of gas manufacture be true, it may omically applied on a large scale in the

creased about 8% per cent. Regarding the permanency of this gas we have the most abundant and satisfactory calculated to warp the judgment of its concharacter, states that several experiments that it loses nothing of its heating or illong distances through pipes; and if this be come the great difficulty which has intervented processes designed to accomplish the same results. Indeed, there seems to be nothing lacking to insure the success of the large enough to supply a town of 4000 inhabitants, occupy but little more space than at the expense of safety to life does not pay. would be needed to accommodate an engine of 20 or 30 horse power, and only about 3 per cent. of the hand labor required in the manufacture of coal gas is needed in the new process. The charges of coke and scrap done in the beginning, and asserted their iron in the retorts do not need to be removed-at least in works the size of those who had condemned them to a prolonged at Battersea,-oftener than once in five or six weeks, and the quantity of either ma-

As so many inventors have previously claimed the discovery of practicable processes of making gas from water, it is natural fied approval which Nature and other leadhave given Mr. Ruck's process; but the high sources from which the above facts are obtained, entitle them to respectful considis not without special present interest. Had eration. If too much is not claimed for it, the men gained what they struck for, their the invention is one of great practical imlosses in gaining it would have far exceeded portance, and may be regarded as the first the utmost possible advantage sought. Our and most promising of the great economies intelligent workingmen do not need to be to result from the coal famine from which told how perfectly this accords with their the English people are now suffering so own experiences in the past, and if they are severely. It there is anything in the invendetermined to repeat this spring the mad tion it will not be long in finding its way to folly of an eight hour strike, they must ex- this country, bringing with it the promise of pect, like the miners and iron workers of cheaper and better gas than that now furnished by the companies who have held their profitable monopoly so long, but against whom a popular feeling now exists which will not be ultimately unproductive of results beneficial to consumers

The Lesson of the "Atlantic" Disaster.

has given rise to a discussion so comprehen- placed in the hands of trustees, to be paid be accepted as showing that it is not safe to sive, thorough and generally intelligent, out in monthly instalments as the work propronounce any idea impracticable because that but little remains to be said. The offigresses. Whether the enterprise manifested repeated attempts to apply it have ended in | cial investigation into the causes of the dis- by the officers of the Gibert Road will have success in some important particular. So rests, and it is to be hoped that those who other holders of charters for quick transit past few years to manufacture illuminating countability. That the captain was guilty promises to the public, remains to be seen. supplied with coal and provisions she need not have put into Halifax at all, and if the statements made before the investigating committee are trustworthy, the agents of the line in Liverpool are deserving of the severest censure, if nothing more.

believe that the investigation, however thor- pile-driving. The apparatus consists of an orough or long protracted it may be, will result in reforming even the least of the evils of steamship management, by which the lives of ocean travelers are now imperiled. be dismissed in disgrace, or even suffer a

What protection, then, have ocean trav-

were well filled, and outside assistance had flame streaked with a few green lines indi- from their negligence or ignorance, neither and can be used in any form of stove or knew that such an accident as that which Of the events which happened between heating apparatus adapted to common car- has befallen the Atlantic would drive their placed under the command of the best offiwould be so rewarded that every man in their employ would have a constant stimulowed at the stores, and then they lived upon in London and other English cities, with life is less a consideration with steamship owners than the saving of expense, and are ships has been run ashore through the criminal carelessness of its commander as before; if they forget, as they are only too likely to do, that the White Star ships have been sent to sea so short of provisions that, had the voyage of the Atlantic been merely delayed a few days longer, and the passengers escaped the awful fate which befel them, they would have been in danger of starving to death; if they forget that, because coal is high, their ships are permitted to sail in March with no more fuel than would barely carry them across in July or August -if, forgetting all these things, they continue to patronize the line as fully and freely who had gained control of the unions. The true, Mr. Ruck may be said to have over- as before, there will be no reforms in its management, or that of its rivals. There fered with the success of all previously in- are no considerations which appeal so strongly to the ship-owner or the railway manager as those which touch his pocket, and it they suffer from needless accidents in process. The works at Battersea, which are the immediate loss of business, they will not be slow to learn that an economy effected

The Gilbert Elevated Railway.

The business-like manner in which the rojectors of the Gilbert Elevated Railroad have set about the great work undertaken by them, is the best indication they could give of a determination to give us the longneeded and oft-promised facilities for "quick transit." As long as the enterprise remained only a project, the people of the city could not be expected to feel any great confidence in assurances that "everything had been arranged," and that "work would be under taken at once." We have heard this so often that it has become an old story, but we now have the assurance that the work is fairly begun. On the 24th of March a contract was signed by the officers of the New England Iron Company, for the construc tion of three miles of the road, to be finished by the 15th of October next. The section under contract, extending from Chambers street to 42d street, is to be a double track railway. The New England Company are privileged to sub-let any portion of the line, and they will have to avail themselves of this privilege to a considerable ex tent in order to complete the work within the time specified. It is one of the largest contracts for iron work ever made in this country, and we hope soon to obtain some interesting details of the amount of iron required in construction to lay before our readers. As it will require at least three months to get the iron work ready, construction must progress at the rate of one The terrible fate of the steamer Atlantic mile per month, and \$5,000,000 have been

Scientific and Technical Notes.

Among the many useful improvements introduced of late years in connection with labor saving apparatus for engineering construction may certainly be classed THE GUN POWDER PILE DRIVER,

ought out originally in this country, it was introduced into England some five years since and its working has demonstrated that by its use a considerable saving is effected both in We are not, however, so sanguine as to time and cost as against the ordinary method of dinary pile-driving engine having a ram, from the upper and underside of which a plunger projects. The ram is fitted with an arrange ment by which it may be retained at any desired highth above the pile head. A cast iron cap having a hole in its centre into which the lower plunger of the ram will fit, is placed on the top of the pile to be driven, and in the hole is inserted a small charge of gunpowder. On the ram being released the lower plunger enters the hole in the cap and, compressing the air within, generates heat, which ignites the gunpowder The force of the explosion is utilized partly in driving the pile downward, and partly in throwing the ram upward, the latter being detained at the required highth ready for the next blow. Should the ram be thrown too high, the upper The unions were strong, their treasurie for heating purposes, burning with a pale punish such officers for accidents resulting by hand, but a self-acting feeding arrangement be kept back, and would extinguish the fire. The

was afterward added which still further simplifies its operatio

An experimental trial was made a few days ago with a

NEW PATTERN OF MARINE ENGINE.

constructed by the Yorkshire Engine Co. under Perkins' patent. The important features of the invention consist in the increased safety due the beginning of this great strike and its bureted hydrogen gas. To adapt it to il- business to other lines, they would neglect to the improved construction of the boilers, no precaution, however costly, to guard and in the great saving in the consumption of against accident. Their vessels would be fuel consequent on the great expansion, by using steam at very high pressure-namely, cers that money could hire, and fidelity from 250 lbs. to 4300 lbs. to the square inch-as compared with that usually adopted. There is, at the same time, greater security under this system, as the boiler is safe under a pressure of 3000 lbs., and works up to only one-eightieth of whole duty. If, on the other hand, the publish bursting pressure. There is a total absence lic are the first to forget that the safety of of escape of steam, and lubricating by oil is dispensed with. Another important feature is the small quantity of water required to supply as ready to patronize a line after one of its the waste, owing to the way in which the joints are constructed, these being always tight under the greatest pressure. In addition to these advantages, there may be mentioned the economy of space and weight which are in favor of this system. The only question regarding which doubt is expressed is the utility of the invention for long sea voyages, as fresh water only is used in the boilers, distilled salt water even having been found to produce an injurious effect on the machinery. This is a question, however, which yet remains to be practically put to the test.

For some years past the attention of engineers and architects has been given to the construction of houses, wharves, and other works in concrete, and at the present time numerous examples of the successful application of the system are to be met with, both in London and the provinces. Among those who have labored to extend this method of building, and to improve its details, is Mr. Philip Brannon, who has succeeded in producing a combination of metal and ement which has been tested with very satisfactory results. This system of

WIRE CONCRETE

as it is called, consists of a sustaining metallic framework or skeleton, upon which wires are strained, the whole being inclosed in the conreted materials forming the body of the structure. By this arrangement not only are the walls and floors of a building run up in concrete, but the doors, shelves, and other fittings are formed of the same material. Thus the strains in a building are equally distributed, and it is rendered fire-proof throughout, wood and other combustible materials being dispensed with. In order to obtain the utmost amount of cohesion throughout the mass, and to prevent cracking-especially where employed in doors or thin partitions-a certain proportion of fibrous material is worked up in the concrete. This system has been carried out in a house at Edmonton which was built by Mr. Brannon, and to which the test of fire has been applied on two ccasions without producing any detrimental effect upon either the walls or fittings. Moreover, furniture was left in some of the ooms, and persons remained there while a brisk conflagration was going on in the lower apartments. Arrangements have been made for the construction of houses upon this principle in Islington, Battersea, and Camberwell, and negotiations are pending for the erection of several blocks of buildings in the north of England. The application of the wire concrete system to engineering works and sea-walls is proposed by Mr. Brannon. An example of its application to the latter purpose, in fact, already exists in the sea-wall of the esplanade at Shanklin, in the Isle of Wight. This work, however, was executed in 1869, before the invention had been perfected as regards the metallic framing. The walls as now arranged will form girders, and if undermined will remain suspended upon bearing points arranged at intervals beneath it. Mr. Brannon has prepared plans for a wall which is to be erected at Bradlington, and which will be three-quarters of a mile in length. The saving in cost which will be effected is said to be very great, in some cases as much as one-half of the ordinary cost of such structures. The wire concrete system is also applicable to pier work, and its inventor expects to have the construction of the Wittlesea Pier. Another adaptation of the principle is for breakwaters. In this case bags of woven wire are used, being lined with concrete and filled with sand. They are placed in position before the concrete has perfectly set, and are well rammed down and concreted together. By this method Mr. Brannon proposes to convert the Yarmouth and Lowestoft banks into breakwaters, so as to form harbors of refuge.

Mr. Joseph Knott, proprietor of the Highfield Steel Works, has lately patented an

INVENTION FOR ECONOMIZING FUEL AND PRE-VENTING SMOKE

which consists of bringing together two atmospheric pressures which meet in the fire and create a perfect combustion. The first, an upward pressure, is obtained by means of a fan or blower, and which enters the ash box underneath the fire bars. The front of the ash box and the furnace door are made perfectly air tight, and hence the blast from the fan is forced through the bars of the grate, and causes the fire to burn, thus giving a more intense heat than is obtained in the ordinary way. A back draught is produced by placing a damper on the top or in any part of the chimney; thus cutting off the ordinary draught caused by long chimneys. A pipe is put into the chimney just below the damper and extending downward for some 16 or 20 feet. The pipe is open at the bottom, thus allowing egress for the carbonic acid gas, which is the residium of combustion. The upward draught from the fan must always be kept a little in excess of the back draught from the pipe, so that it will carry off the carbonic acid gas as soon as liberated. If the back naces. A boiler fitted up on the new principle to the cars used in the levels. These, run upon has been at work at the Highfield Steel Works the cages, were lifted to the surface, and then as to the quantity of fuel used as compared long, and with its outer end 50 ft. above the pressure. It was found that 18 cwt. of coal receiver. The bottom of this is made at an tested on the new principle at exactly the same pressure and doing the same work, and has is passed into freight cars, by which the ore thus showing a saving of 40 per cent. It is Hill by railway, and where superior facilities true the best was not made of the fuel under exist for milling. It is from Carson, 16 mile the old principle; but the patentee confidently distant, that the wood used for fuel, and the anticipates that under any circumstances a saving of fuel of from 25 to 30 per cent. will the excavations left by the extraction of the be effected and all smoke prevented. When the fan is not working and the two pressures are not brought together, smoke is generated as usual; but immediately the fan is started the smoke that is in the flues is blown out in a few seconds, and no more is generated. It is necessary to feed the fire by means of a hopper. so as to do away with the necessity of opening the door. In the erection of new works in which this principle is adopted there is no necessity whatever for the construction of tall chimneys. The invention has been examined by a board of experts and pronounced upon

Nevada Mining Machinery.

BY JAMES A. WHITNEY, M. E.

I have in mind a night journey from the Green Truckee meadows to the desolate, sage surrounded hamlets of Virginia City and Gold Hills, or, as it was termed of old, Washoe Here I descended the shaft, 1100 feet, of the Yellow Jacket silver mine, and passing into others gazed down inclines 200 feet more in The most important engineering industry west of the Rocky Mountains, mining, has involved the use of strong and substantial, if not highly finished, machinery, of which a brief sketch, having reference to the locality specially just indicated, may be of interest to the readers of The Iron Age.

The shaft has an available transverse section of about six feet, and is walled with squared timber 14 inches thick; one course near the top but two courses toward the bottom to revert the mighty bulging pressure of the superincumbent rock. Two cages, in the Yellow Jacket, alternate up and down to afford access to the drifts and to lift the ore. These cages are made of wrought iron; each has two floors, one above the other, which doubles the capacity from 1400 to 2800 pounds per lift. Each cage is hung to a flat wire rope four inches wide and three-eighths of an inch thick, and with a break ing strength of 50 tons. These ropes run over sheaves nine feet in diameter, arranged over the shaft's mouth, and wind upon 14 foot reels driven by steam in hoisting; in the descent of the cages their gravity is allowed to actuate them, the speed being controlled by friction brakes applied to the drawing shaft. The ropes, the shafts and gearing are so proportioned and so arranged with reference to a registering device, that the exact position in the shaft of either cage may be seen by glancing at a suitably arranged dial and index-finger An auto matic alarm sounds when either cage is brought to within 100 feet of the surface; and a signal rope running to the bottom enables a person on the cage to communicate with the engineer to stop or start the engine, as circumstances may require, at whatever depth the cage may be. Concerning the wire ropes aforesaid, the method by which they are kept pliable and in good working order may be adopted to advantage for wire rope of all kinds used for other purposes, but is especially useful for the larger and more rigid kinds. The process is as fol-

A wooden trough two feet wide, two deep and twenty long, is half or two-thirds filled with hot tar, with which about five per cent. of tallow has previously been intimately incorporated. At each end of the trough is a drum about 24 inches in diameter, the rope being wound from one to and upon the other, thereby being drawn through the tar mixture. This is done slowly, to afford time for an attendant to scrub the surthe material into the interstices of the rope. The ropes are treated in this manner once a month, and, aside from being kept flexile, are of course effectually protected from corrosion. I may mention, by the way, that it is to be regretted that no similar treatment is found efficacious in the protection of the air or ventilating pipes used in the mines, which are rapidly corroded by the water charged with an appreciable portion of sulphuric acid.

At intervals of 100 feet depth, the horizontal drifts of the different levels branch off, each laid with a miniature railway track, the rails exactly corresponding in form with the larger ones of a common railroad. On these run the flanged wheels of the wrought iron trollys. The trollys were formerly made of wood, but the substitution of iron has not only rendered them much more durable, but has attended. diminished their weight about forty pounds apiece. The importance of this will be seen when it is understood that it represents a saving of eighty pounds lifted an average of a thousand feet at each and every hoist, two cars with their contents being carried at every upward movement of either cage. The incline, as a rule, is simply an extension of the vertical shaft at an angle of 45°, the inclination of the ledge. That which I saw in the Crown Point, adjacent to and communicating with, the Yellow Jacket, was, however, at an angle of 36°, and furnished with a track upon which ran a trolly actuated by a two inch hempen rope, in to the top by the car, was dumped into a re- guns," that surpass anything of the kind the es-

patent is applicable to steam boiler and other fur- ceiver, from which it passed, through a chute, tablishment has hitherto produced. The first is for a fortnight, and has been carefully tested run out upon an elevated trestle nearly 300 ft. with the old principle. It has been first worked ground, and with a wooden receiver capable of tured of one block of brass 4 metres long and a day on the latter principle, the fuel weighed, holding 350 tons, immediately below. The cars and the engine carefully worked at a given are dumped singly, and the ore falls into the quintals, or 50,000 kilogrammes. were consumed per day. Then, it has been angle of 45°, which causes the mass to pitch toward chutes, through which, on occasion, it only consumed eight cwt. of fuel in the day-- transported to Carson, connected with Gold timber, 16 inches square, employed for filling in ore, is brought. The track, as it reaches the Yellow Jacket, is sixty feet above the floor of the building above the shaft, and the fuel for the boilers has to be let down on an elevato having a vertical movement of that extent The fuel is placed in a car at top, is then le down, and run out upon a track extending past and in front of the furnace doors, an arrange ment that provides for the feeding of the fur naces in a most convenient manner.

The treatment of the ore, after it comes from the mine, is, as just indicated, ordinarily carried on at Carson, but there is a small, ten-stamp mill in the vicinity of the Yellow Jacket, which shows in detail the modus operandi. Two Chinamen, with long handled hammers, broke the material down to egg size to flt it for the stamp. These are substantially nothing but ron pestles, lifted and let fall one after another by cams, upon the rock placed in a strong me tallic box provided below, and constructed with seives at the end. Water flows in at one end and out at the other, carrying with it the finer particles, the coarser fragments being retained by the seive. The water passes to a settling tank, where the fine particles collect a ediment, and are, in due time, transferred to the amalgamators. In these latter the floured mass is ground against an iron surface in contact with quicksilver, until the whole of the precious metal has amalgamated with the mercury. The amalgam and uncombined mercury sinks to the bottom and is drawn off by syphon and put into a wash leather sack. This eack is subjected to pressure which forces out the free mercury through the pores, but retains the more solid amalgam within. The latter is then ready for transfer to the retort, which is a very simple contrivance, comprising merely a horizontal cylinder, situated over a furnace and provided with a pipe at its near end, which pipe extending downward and passing in a coiled form through a trough of cold water condenses the mercurial vapor as fast as it is expelled from the amalgam by the heat.

The Chinese Sensation at Beaver Falls

After much talk, the people of Beaver Falls have reached a very sensible conclusion with regard to the employment of Chinese labor in the cutlery works at that place. The following is the end of the matter:

Response of the leading citizens of Beaver Falls

Response of the leading citizens of Beaver Falls to the answer and propositions of the Elders of the Harmony Society at Economy, Pa.

We, the undersigned, property holders and citizens of Beaver Falls, do hereby accept the reply made by the Councilof Elders of the Harmony Society in relation to the Chinese excitement at this place. From the well-known integrity of the Society, and their past aid to the people here, we are well assured that their promises in that reply will be faithfully performed. Every citizen here knows that the rise and prosperity of Beaver Falls is solely owing to the enterprise and liberality of the Economites; and we affirm the belief that the same liberal aid and enterprise will be further extended in renewing operations at the glass and hinge factory, and in bringing other works to this place. We have the assurance of the other manufacturers here, both by their expressed and published statements, that they do not intend to employ Chinese labor, and we feel convinced that the employment of coolies by the cutlery company was a necessity, not a choice.

We now protest against further agitation of

We now protest against further agitation of the subject, as the result of any further opposi-tion cannot be otherwise than injurious to the best interests of Beaver Falls.

Esigned by 177 property holders and citizens of Beaver Falls, including the leading manufacturers, merchants, clergymen, physicians, mechanics, tradesmen, and other business men of he place.

Scientific Lectures at the Stevens Institute.-The course of popular scientific ectures at the Stevens Institute of Technology, which begins on the evening of the 15th instant, will be found of unusual interest. The following are the lectures announced : April 25, "Sunlight and Its Source," by Prof. Henry Morton; April 22, "Moonlight and Its Source," by Prof. Henry Morton; April 29, "The Dead Rivers of the Sierra Nevada, and Hydraulic Gold Min-ing," by Prof. Benj. Silliman; May 6, "Dyeing and Calico Printing," by Prof. Chas. F. Chand ler; May 13, "Fluorescent Light," by Prof. Henry Morton. These lectures will all be found of popular as well as scientific interest, and as course tickets are sold at the very moderate price of one dollar, we hope they will be well

Iron Statistics .- By reference to our advertising columns on this page, our readers will gain some idea of the scope and thoroughness of the Statistical Report of the National Association of Iron Manufacturers, to which we have before called attention in these columns. The table of contents shows what subjects are treated of in the report, and we can assure those interested in the statistics of iron manufacture that it will be found of present in terest and permanent value as a work of refer

A letter from Essen says there will be sent to lieu of the flat wire one more commonly em- the Vienna Exhibition from the cannon foundry ployed. The ore from the incline being drawn of Herr Krupp two specimens of his "big

a gigantic brass cannon, the tube of which will be 6.70 metres in length, and 1.46 metres in diameter, and which will weigh 760 quintals, or 38,000 kilogrammes. The second is manufac 1.50 metres in diameter, of the weight of 1000 model guns are to be dispatched to Vienna toward the middle of the month by special train, via Giessen, Nuremberg and Ponau.

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Trade Report.

Office of The Iron Age, Wednesday Evening, April 9, 1873.

The feature of the week in Wall street has been the unparalleled stringency in money rates on call loans having ranged higher than at any time for several years. Borrowers have, in some instances, paid as high as 31/2 @ 4 per cent, for the use of money for six days, or at the rate of 182 @ 208 per cent, per annum; while those who had the very best collaterals to put up, and who got better rates than the average of borrowers, thought themselves fortunate in securing accommodations at 2 per cent., or 104 per cent. per annum. This strin gency, which operates to the serious disadvan tage of those engaged in legitimate commerce as well as of stock gamblers, has resulted almos wholly from the manipulations of speculator in money, who have even gone so far as to draw legal tenders from the banks and send them to other cities where they could be more effectu ally locked up than here. A glance at the bank statement, published below, will show how entirely artificial the stringency has been. A loss of \$3,789,300 in legal tenders is simply impossible in the ordinary course of business, and can only be accounted for as showing the manne in which the speculators have operated. As the result of this unnatural stringency, we are having a repetition of the farce of a Grand Jury investigation, with a view to the indictment of lenders under the usury law. What it will amount to may be judged from the results of previous investigations of the same character. Commercial paper has, of course, been a drug in the market, and quotations are wholly nomi-

There has been considerable excitement in the gold market, owing to the steady advance in the premium, which was forced to 1191 —the highest quotation since February 21st, 1870. This upward movement was in great part specu lative, although a good basis for the "bull" movement was found in the small stock of gold in the country, the large specie shipments in payment for current importations, and the com paratively small demand for our securities abroad, other than government bonds, of which we have but few to send. The following shows the daily range of the premium:

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Although the object of the stringency in money was to break down stocks, the market bore up well, and the "bear" speculators were practically defeated. The principal dealings have been in N. Y. Central, St. Paul, Lake Shore, Rock Island, Wabash, Western Union, Pacific Mail, and Union Pacific. Miscellaneous shares have been dull. The highest and lowest of today's prices are given below.

The bond market has been strong, both here and abroad, the London quotations averaging higher than those in this market. State bonds and all forms of investment securities have been dull and generally lower. The closing

prices of governments we give below. The foreign trade movements for the week are shown as follows:

IMPOR	TS.	
1871. Tot. for week\$8,543,409 Prev. reported93,202,171	1872. \$12,645,852 99,707,452	1873. \$7,576,073 113,332,540
Since Jan 1\$101,745,580	\$112 ,353,304	\$120,908,613
Included in the imports dise for the week are :	of genera	merchan-

Anvils	81 ,924
Brass goods23	2,131
Bronzes	1.833
Chains and anchors	15,228
Copper	72,289
Cutlery	39,940
Guns	5,166
Hardware	10,921
Iron, hoop, tons	3,933
Iron, pigs, tons	53,861
Iron, sheet, tons	7,609
R. R. bars	414,240
Iron cotton ties	,982
Iron, other, tons	84,371
Lead, pigs	75, 183
Lead, tone8	516
Metal goods	28,421
Nails3	188
Needles	5,463
Old metal	4,423
Platina1	
Plated ware	68
Percussion caps2	406
Saddlery11	2,021
Steel	35, 439
Silverware	439
Tin, boxes	167,454
Wire	8,179
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Rock Island	11936	11356
New Jersey Central	90	9734
Wabash.		69
Harlem	125%	123 %
Western Union Telegraph	86%	8436
Milwaukee & St. Paul	59%	58 %
Panama		10737
Pacific Mail		5634
Brie		6474
Ohio & Mississippi	45%	4436
Boston, Hartford & Erie	814	314
Doston, Hartioru & Erie	0.00	
Union Pacific	34%	33%
C. C. & I. C		39%
Consolidation Coal		55%
U. S. Express	75	71%

GENERAL HARDWARE.

The amount of business doing by our city houses varies considerably. Some of them are decidedly busy, and look for a good trade for everal weeks, while others report a very light ousiness. All the large houses are embarrassed by the strike in the gas works, as the supply is cut off during the day, that there may be the more at night. There is very little to report concerning the market for foreign Hardware, the demand for which is light, owing chiefly to the high rate of gold. There are no changes in values to note. Peter Wright's Anvils are in fair supply, and holders ask 121/2c. to 13c. gold, according to size. % Coil Chain is quoted at 9c., gold, by the single cask.

The Nail market is decidedly weak, and the card rate, \$5.25 for 10d., although still quoted, is only nominal. There would be no trouble in placing orders of 100 keg lots at \$4.90 rates, net, and orders for 500 kegs could be easily placed at \$4.85, net.

At a meeting of the Shear Association, held at the Metropolitan Hotel, in this city, on the 4th, the following preamble and resolution were adopted and signed by the firms whose names appear below:

Whereas, Certain parties have offered Shears and cissors at prices which are detrimental to the manu-

Scissors at prices which are uculanced facturers, it is

Resolved. That our list and discount are the same as adopted by us June 1st, 1872, and that we further agree not to sell or consign our goods to any party or parties quoting better prices than our circular of that date.

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JOSEPH RYALS,

JOSEPH RYALS, EAGLE SHEAR CO., Union Shear Co., Empire Knife Co., Jos. Mallinson & Co.

Our city houses are now quoting discount 60 and 10 per cent. for Shears. By an oversight which we are at a loss to account for, we omitted the quotation of Stebbin's Pattern Molasses and Oil Gates from our list of Landers, Frary & Clark's prices. They are quoted dis count 70 per cent. Graham & Haines have taken the agency for the Black Diamond Files made by G. & H. Barnett, of Philadelphia, and will carry a large stock of them.

We are informed by the Ausable Horse Nail Company that their machinery is now perfected for the manufacture of a hammer-pointed and finished Nail, which they will soon be ready to put on the market. The list will not be more than 1 cent advance on that for the common Nail, subject to the same discounts. They also say that in consequence of the advance in Norway Iron, and the high premium now ruling on gold, an advance in the price of their Nails is no probable before long.

The Pump Makers' Association held a meet ing to-day at the St. Nicholas Hotel in this city Owing to the absence of some of the members who are known to be on the way, but are detained on account of the bad condition of the railroads, nothing definite was arrived at, and the meeting adjourned until to-morrow, when a larger representation is expected to be pres ent. It is understood, however, that prices will remain as before

We have received the Price List and Illus trated Supplement to the 1872 Catalogue of the Norwich Lock Mfg. Co., in which we find a number of new goods. This company have a sample room at 88 Chambers street, where they show a very handsome line of samples, in which all the latest improvements will be seen. They lay particular stress on the excellent quality of their goods, and we think with justice. They quote "discount 40 per cent, until further no-

Fisher & Norris advise their agents in this ture city that on list prices fo

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REVISED LIST OF THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF SAW MANUFACTURERS.

In our issue of the 27th ultimo we published the proceedings of the convention of the National Association of Saw Manufacturers of the United States, and also that portion of Henry Disston & Sons' list which was adopted for use until the revised list should take effect, as agreed upon, on May 1. We publish herewith the revised list and regular discounts:

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Editor of The Iron Age: Whoever wrote the letter on Screws signed "Dealer," which appeared in your last issue, is evidently not much poeted.

Ist. "The increasing importation of English wood Screws" don't show that the bargain between the American and English monopolist has expired, simply because there is no increase of English importation worth calculating. "Dealer" would soon find out, if the American Co. did not regularly continue their remittances to the English monopolists, that Screws, instead of advancing on the assraye, would very largely decline on the average, and the decline would be something worth noting.

2d. The total production of English Screw makers, outside the monopolists who are "fixed" by the American Co., all put together and sent to this country would not trouble the American Co. at all, simply because their total production is barely enough to meet the wants of one of our large jobbers.

While on this Screw question I desire to say that it is anything but creditable for the Hardware jobbers to tamely submit to be bamboozled, threatened, tied up and whipped by the American Screw Co. Every one of them completely despise it, but dare not act. They are afraid to sustain a new company, and so build up healthy competition, and the result is monopoly, monopoly, and this will continue just so long as the trade continue their support.

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break in the prices of Locks as an instance in point. Now, every one who is at all acquainted with the history of this "break" knows that the jobbers had nothing to do with bringing it about, for it was directly opposed to their interests as a class. It occurred as a consequence of the ill will that existed between some of the leading manufacturers, and which led them to vary from what were known as the "combination" terms, in order to get the trade of their competitors. All the late breaks in prices can be traced to a similar cause. Manufacturers form combinations, bind themselves to maintain certain prices, find some member of their association is "cutting," and then, without the slightest warning to the trade, upon whom, perhaps, they have been urging their goods, one of them reduces prices to cost, or less; all the rest follow suit, and the result is that both jobbers and manufacturers lose money, and few, if any, are benefited.

That the hardware jobbers make the prices at which they shall purchase the goods they sell will be news to most of our leading manufacturers, we think; and yet such is the statement of your correspondent, who calls himself a "respectable manufacturer," If this is so, what has been the meaning of all the various combinations and associations among manufacturers to control prices; and if the good faith of the members of each association could have been relied upon, we should have heard little of the many breaks that have afflicted the market. For one of that class, who may himself have been among the first to break faith with his brother manufacturers, to charge this upon the jobbers, is, to use his own expression, "checky." Before leaving him, we have a word of advice to offer. If he really believes what he says, and is anxious to bring about the day of no middlemen, let him in future refuse to sell his wares to such unnecessary monsters.

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The conclusion of your Philadelphia correspondents at "the interest of the jobber and manufacturer is entical," is too patent to need argument; but, unstrunately, an antagonism seems to be springing upsome cases between them, and it is worth while inquire into the cause. Primarily, it will be found result from the endeavor on the part of each to croach upon the natural territory of the other. A ort glance at the history of the trade will best illustic our views.

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Twenty years ago the hardware trade in New York city was almost entirely in the hands of the jobbers; few of the manufacturers were represented direct. As New York is the natural distributing point for the vhole United States, this condition of affairs could not last long, and we now see almost an entire revolution; the trade there is nearly all in the hands of the manufacturers. With the decadence of the jobbing trade in New York, there has sprung up all through the States a series of jobbing towns or distributing centers, and to these centers, the small through the States a series of jobbing towns or distrade in their immediate vicinity would naturally flow, if it was not interferred with. The statements made by your Philadelphia correspondents show that the retail dealers in the small towns can be better and more cheaply supplied by the regular jobbing houses than by the different manufacturers. Intelligent manufacturers scarcely needed any statement teach? Simply this—that the manufacturers should look for their trade only among these distributing centers, and the jobbers in these places should seek their trade only in that section from which it naturally flows to them. This would prevent the ruinous competition that so frequently injures business, and centine trade to its natural channels:

American Pig.-There is only a moderate inquiry for American Iron, and prices continue firm. Prime No. 1 brands are reported scarce, and large lots are not obtainable for immediate delivery. No. 2 and Forge Iron is offered freely at about the former range of prices. Sales include 300 tons No. 1 Allentown, at \$50 cash 100 tons No. 1 Hudson River brands, at \$50, and 50 tons No 2, at \$48. We quote: No. 1 at \$50; No. 2 at \$46 @ \$48; and Gray Forge at \$40 @ \$42.

Scotch Pig .- Advices early in the week, by cable, reported a decline of 15/on mixed num. bers, and a slight decline in No. 1. This has caused a trifle easier feeling here, and some sales are reported at lower figures. The stock here is so light, however, that a general decline is not expected to take place, and notwithstanding the sales and rumors of sales at lower figures, most holders continue to ask about the former range. The demand continues light, and sales mostly confined to small parcels from yard for immediate wants. We note 100 tons Eglinton, on private terms; 75 tons Eglinton at \$54; 50 tons Glengarnock, forced on the market, at \$53; 100 tons, May delivery, at \$53; and rumors of 300 tons, same brand, at \$53.50, though not generally believed by the trade. We quote: Glengarnock at \$54 @ \$56, and Eglinton at \$52 @ \$54.

Following are the prices of Scotch Pig Iron in Glasgow, as reported by Messrs. J. E. Swan .80 15 & Bro., under date of March 21, 1873: GLASGOW BRANDS, No. 1

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Bar .- There is a trifle easier feeling in Manufactured Iron from store, though no quotable decline has taken place, but it is probable large lots could be obtained at prices shaded a trifle. At the mills, however, former prices are adhered to steadily.

Old Rails .- There has been a fair inquiry for Old English Rails the past week, at about the

demand are weak and lower. A sale is reported of 200 tons at \$52.50. We quote at \$52.50 @ \$55.

METALS.

Copper.-The demand for domestic Copper has ruled extremely light the past week, and sales do not reach over 100,000 lbs. Lake at 33½c. @ 34c., cash. The absence of demand, together with the near approach of the opening of navigation, has a weakening effect on the value, and though holders generally ask 34c. at the close, it is probable this price could be shaded materially. Cables continue to announce higher prices abroad, the latest quoting Chili Bars £94, and Best Selected £100 @ £101. English Copper here rules very firm in sympathy, and closes at 31c., which is higher. Sales have been only small lots at 30%c. @ 31c., 30 days.

Tin .- The Dutch sale took place on the 2d inst., and the price obtained was 85 florins for Banca, which was a decline of 7f. @ 7\f. from the last sale one year ago. The market here for Pig Tin has continued exceedingly dull, and prices, in absence of demand, are depressed and a trifle easier. The continued stringency in the money market checks trade in this, as well as in other commodities. We quote Straits at 33c., English at 321/4c. @ 321/4c., and Banca, at 38c., all gold, though these figures must be considered nominal in absence of transactions. The transactions in Tin Plates are on a very limited scale, but prices continue very firm, with the supply only moderate. A meeting of Tin Plate Makers was held in London, on the 2d inst., and prices were advanced We quote: I. C. Charcoal, \$12.25 @ \$12.50; I. C. Coke, \$10.50 @ \$11; Charcoal Terne, \$10.75 @ \$11.25; and Coke Terne, \$9 @ \$10.

Lead.-Ordinary foreign brands of Pig Lead have been moderately active at full prices. The foreign advices continue favorable to the holding interest. Domestic has been fairly active, and prices steady. Sales include about 400 tons (mostly domestic) at 65%c. @ 63%c. for ordinary foreign, and 6%c. @61/c. for American, both gold. Manufactured Lead is steady at 9½c. for Bar; 10½c. for Sheet and Pipe, and 16½c. for Tin Lined Pipe, less the usual discount to the

Spelter and Zinc.—There is only a moderate inquiry for foreign Spelter, but with a small stock here the price continues to be held firmly at 7%c. @ 7%c., gold, for Silesian; 50 tons sold early in the week at the outside figures. Domestic is steady at 9c. @ 11c., currency. Zinc continues quiet, but steady, at the late advance.

Antimony.—Regulus has been more active at a trifle below our last quotation, and closes pretty firm at 14½c., gold. Sales about 60 coles.

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The following is the review of the metal market specially prepared for The Iron Age by Messrs. Thos. J. Poper & Bro.:

The stringency in money affairs, although largely resulting from the stock conflict in Wall street, is producing its effect on business, which, for the season, is inactive. Prices, however, are strongly maintained, concessions of legal interest only being made on prompt cash transactions. The advance movement in gold is very strong, which results not so much from the operations of speculators as from the shortness of the supply. This is now partly in demand for duties, import payments, and to meet the accruing interest of foreign held bonds. Many shrewd and careful observers look for 180 per cent. before the season closes. Saturday's bank statement has not produced the effect intended, for money is relaxing and the lock up in currency cannot much longer continue. Probably before April 15 the reported lock will have terminated.

INGOT COPPER—Strengthened by the gold advance, is now 31c. to 32c. for English, and 34c. to 35c. for Lake Copper. Lake offered (resales) for future delivery, 32½c. to 33c., without takers at present. The English market advanced recently to about £39, but fell back again to £37 for Best Selected, and as stocks in that market are (notwithstanding the extraordinary export of 5000 tons to the U. S.) 4000 tons greater than in 1872, we may look, as the United States export demand falls off with the approaching delivery season of Lake, for a much lower run in England of Copper prices—which all admit there would not be over £30 to £30 per ton now, but for the active demand from the States. The importers' cost of English Copper, with prices at the recent English imports at present, and the incoming heavy supplies of Lake will entirely prevent any further importations of English for at least six months after June 1st, proximo.

Pig Iron, Scotch.

advance in gold; but in England all other English Irons seem to be well maintained, and manufactured to advance.

PIG IRON, AMERICAN.—No. 1 extra rules at \$48 to \$51, and even \$52; No. 2 extra, \$46 to \$48 per ton; Gray Forge, prime brands, \$40 to \$43; Mottled, \$35 to \$37 for Hoboken, seaboard and river dollers for \$40 to \$45 to \$ er deliveries. CRAP IRON—Without much sale, and rules at

\$55 to \$57, in yard.
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Tin—Quiet; 32½c. to 33c., gold.

LEAD—Quiet, at 6¾c. to 6¾c., gold, for Soft Spanish; 6¾c. to 6½c., for American, some Lead being sent back to Europe, prices being better there than here.

ANTIMONY—Dull, at 14¾c. to 15c., gold.

NICKEL—\$2.50, gold.

BISMUTH—Unchanged.

Messrs. Lloyd, Supplee & Walton, under date of April 8, write us as follows: Trade has improved quite a good deal since our last letter. The fine weather has induced the local or near the make their appearance in the city. betry one of them completely despise it, out dark not act. They are afraid to sustain a new company, and so build up healthy competition, and the result is monopoly, monopoly, and this will continue just so long as the trade continue their support.

Henry.

The following is a contribution to the discussion for some weeks going on in these columns:

To the Editor of The Iron Age:

Dear Size—If the manufacturers are at all interested in the controversy that has been going on in your columns for several doubt) self-constituted champion of their interests were compelled to withdraw, and his attention turned to the manufacture of goods instead of the production of letters on a subject that he is illy attented to discuss. His communications are a tissue of inconsistencies and misstatements. Let us take his last as an example. After quoting from his first let; what he evidently looks upon as his strongest argument against the existence of jobbers, viz.: "that they so control the manufacturers that the latter argument against the existence of jobbers, viz.: "that they so control the manufacturers that the latter argument against the existence of jobbers, viz.: "that they so control the manufacturers that the latter argument against the existence of jobbers, viz.: "that they so control the manufacturers that the latter argument against the existence of jobbers, viz.: "that they so control the manufacturers that the latter argument against the existence of jobbers, viz.: "that they so control the manufacturers that the latter argument against the existence of jobbers, viz.: "that they so control the manufacturers that the latter argument against the existence of jobbers, viz.: "that they so control the manufacturers that the latter argument against the existence of jobbers, viz.: "that they so control the manufacturers that the latter argument against the existence of jobbers, viz.: "that they so control the manufacturers that the latter argument argument against the existence of jobbers, viz.: "that they so control the Iron Screws are now held at 47½ per cent. discount. An occasional concession of 5 per cent. Is made upon Strap and T Hinges to large buyers, which reduces them to manufacturers', one thousand dollar price. The same has also been done in some instances on Wrought Butts. Brass Butts have advanced and are now held at discount 20 per cent. Palmer's Blind Butts have been reduced about 10 per cent., although without any change by the manufacturer. Bright Iron Wire is now held in full bundles and by the quantity at 25 to 30 per cent. discount. Peter Wright's Anvils have advanced in price, and are held at 13 to 13½ cents, gold. Cable Chain is held at a little more firm rates, although no actual advance is demanded. Other goods remain at about former quotations.

Messrs, Blakiston & Cox, 333 Walnut St.,

although no actual advance is demanded. Other goods remain at about former quotations. Messrs. Blakiston & Cox, 333 Walnut St., under date of April 5, write as follows: American Fig.—Urgent letters have been received by many of the Lehigh furnace companies from their customers in the East and on the Hudson, ordering the iron to be shipped at once, or as soon as possible, that was purchased by them in the fall and winter of last rear and the early months of this, thus showing the scarcity at the works of these consumers, and their evident need of an immediate supply. The producers are pressed in their deliveries to such an extent that the bulk of their production will be for some time withdrawn from the market, for the purpose of filling the heavy orders booked by them. The foundries in this city are busy, and owners in many instances complain of their inability to meet the demand for their work. Transactions of any extent have been limited by the unsettled condition of the money market, its hurtful effects being felt in the iron business as severely as in other branches of trade. We note sales of 100 tons No. 1 Allentown at \$50; 100 tons No. 1 Crane, \$50, and 100 tons No. 1 Crane, qual to \$51:50, at Hoboken, N. J. Also 300 tons Gray Forge Crane at \$40, cash, at furnace. We quote prices as last reported in our letter of March 29: No. 1 Foundry, \$49 to \$51; No. 2 Foundry, \$47 to \$49, on wharf; Gray Forge, \$30 to \$41; and White and Mottled, \$33 to \$35, at the furnace. Scotch Pig.—Although stocks are held firmly at prices quoted, and are rapidly becoming reduced, there is still no disposition to force the price too far above that of American Pig. We quote Eglinton, \$54; Glengarnock, \$56 to \$57, in yard. Scrap.—Although prices are quoted as below, we find buyers are backward, and will not make offers except at low figures. We quote No. 1 Wrought, \$55 to \$56, in yard.

PITTSBURGH.

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PITTSBURGH, April 5, 1873.—The Iron trade, so far at least as our market is concerned, is moderately active and improving, though it is not what it was expected it would be, or what it usually is at this season of the year. Like everything else, it is crippled somewhat by the closeness in money matters, though it is all and even more than could reasonably be expected under existing circumstances and surroundings. Some of the mills report a very good demand for Finished Irors; while others alledge that trade is dragging, though all concede that there are more orders than there were last month, and it is very generally expected that there will be an active demand from this out. Prices remain unchanged, four and six tenth cents is the card rate, but four cents has been, and is still, the actual selling price, although manufacturers are firmer in their views, and some of them are refusing to sell at the last named figure, except for cash. There is a continued active demand for Nails, and the recent advance is well maintained, \$5-25 per keg—60 days, or \$5, net cash. The Steel trade is reported comparatively quet, although the mills are all in full blast, and some of them report that they have orders enough booked to keep them going from 30 to 60 days, even if they should get no new ones. There is no change in prices; the card has not been touched for several months. There is a continued steady demand for Pig Iron, and, notwithstanding the inquiry is confined almost wholly to supplying immediate wants, there is a fair volume of business in the aggregate. The mills are nearly all pursuing what is commonly termed the hand-to-mouth policy, carrying very light stocks; hence, while the operations, as compared with former years, are comparatively light, it is probable, after all, that there is almost as much Pig Iron changing hands in the aggregate. Consumers, instead of buying at once 30 or 60 days' supply, are buying now just as they need if, and the indications are that by the time the season is over there

The Pittsburgh Commercial, of April 5, says The market since our last has undergone no material change; the demand was fair, and sales of a similar description. The receipts of metal, ore, and blooms by rail for March were 37,640 tons, and by river 20,943 tons, making a total of 58,583 tons. We are reported the followither school of the same reported the following school of the same reported the sam lowing sales:

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50 tons foundry 45 00-4 mos.
20 tons foundry 44 00—4 mos.
ANTHRACITE.

350 tons mottled and white red short. \$38 00-5 mos.
100 tons gray forge 42 00-4 mos.
40 tons No. 1 foundry 45 50-4 mos.
20 tons No. 1 foundry 45 00-4 mos.
20 tons No. 2 foundry 43 00-4 mos.
20 tons No. 2 foundry 44 50-4 mos.
10 tons mottled neutral 38 00-4 mos.
10 tons white
100 tons gray cold short
20 tons No. 1 foundry 46 00—4 mos.
CONNELLSVILLE COKE.
300 tons close gray
100 tons Dunbar forge No. 1 40 00-4 mos.

	MOT BUAGA CHARCOAL
:	Hanging Rock No. 1 \$ ton. \$55'00 @ 56'00-4 mos.
1	" No. 2 53.00 @ 54.00-4 mos.
1	" Forge 45.00 @ 46.00-4 mos.
•	Tennessee No. 1 54 00 @ 55 00-4 mos.
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	Scotch Pig, No. 1 56 00 @ 57 00-4 mos.
1	COLD BLAST CHARCOAL.
.	Hanging Rock Car Wheel & tn. \$60.00 @ 65.00-4 mos.
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Messrs. Wyeth & Brother, Iron and Steel merchants, corner of South Charles and Lombard streets, report us the following prices, under date of April 8, 1873: Trade has somewhat improved, though still quiet for the season, and with but a limited supply of orders in hand. We note an advance of \(\frac{1}{2} \subseteq \text{Der Per Ib. on Horse and Mule Shoes; other figures unchanged, but prices remain firm at quotations. Collections are slow and made with difficulty from parties heretofore prompt in their settlements.

CONNELSVILLE CORE.

\$39 00—4 mos.

100 tons Dunbar forge No. 1. 40 00—4 mos.

EASTERN CHARCOAL.

20 tons cold blast. \$62 00—4 mos.

PITTSBUBGH CORE.

450 tons gray forge. \$42 00—4 mos.

100 tons gray neutral. 40 00—4 mos.

10 tons No. 1 foundry. 45 50—4 mos.

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CHICAGO.

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CHICAGO, April 3, 1873.—Hardware.—There have been no changes in prices during the past week. The supply of orders by mail have been quite liberal, though at the close, owing to the inclement weather, there was little doing in person. Iron, Steel and Nails—Merchant Bar Iron is firm, but scarcely sympathizes with the situation on the other side of the Atlantic,

ANTIMONY.—French Star, £62 to £64. ANTIMONY.—French Star, £62 to £64. SPELTER.—Silesian, special brands, £28. English, best brands, £20.

Latest Dutch Tin Market.

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(Koch & Viterboom's Report, Translated for The Iron Age.)

ROTTERDAM, March 28, 1873— Tin.—There was less animation toward the close of the week, and sales were made of Banca, spot, at 87 guilders, and of 'futures' out of the two fall auctions at 87, 87%, 87 and 83%, while Billiton per sail and steam, affoat was also sold at 88%. Behn, Meyer & Co.'s Malacca Tin Report.

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(Extracted for The Iron Age.)

SINGAPORE, Feb. 13, 1873—Malacca Tin.—Supplies have been rather heavy; the demand has been active in the beginning of the fortnight—sales at \$35 to \$36.05, per picul, for shipments to Europe. Later on the demand has been less brisk, and only for China. Some purchases have been made at \$35.87% to \$36.25. The market closes rather weaker.

Siemsson & Co.'s Chinese Metal Report. (Extracted for The Iron Age.)
SHANGHAE, Jan. 30, 1873.—Metals are languid, although Lead has been the subject of speculation, and L. B. brand can be quoted 445. Quicksilver, 75

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did places of employment in hundreds. First, ig they went in at Blaina, then at Ebbw Vale, next at fredegar, next at great Dowlais, at Plymouth, at Prottypool, Carnarvon, the colliers at Cyrfarters, and Plymouth, Cwmavon, Rhymney and Baenavon. But few works are now idle, and there is every reason for hoping that in another week or two the whole of the South Wales and there is every reason for hoping that in another week or two the whole of the South Wales and Monmouthshire iron works and collieries will be in full swing. From a business point of view this is a matter for considerable congratulation, and from a humanitarian standpoint the settlement is a perfect blessing. Before I dismiss the subject, I may, perhaps, be allowed to quote the substance of a letter which has been forwarded for publication by Mrs. Rose Mary Crawshay, wife of the owner of the gigantic Cyrfarthia Works. She says that during the last few years people have remonstrated with herself and others for attempting to educate and raise the moral standard of the iron works ers and colliers. They have said: "What is the good of schools, or flowers sent every Sundy to the men's libraries, &c., &c. ? You see the result in this strike, so no more of this kind treatment—its a mistake," and so on. Then she makes allusion to an article in the Western Mail, which refers to the fact "that strikes are no novelly in South Wales, but that such a great dispute should endure for so long a time with went of the gigantic transment—its a mistake," and so of the strikes are not with the such as great dispute should endure for so long at time with the potential state of the property of the such and provided the property of the propert

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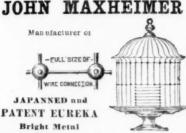
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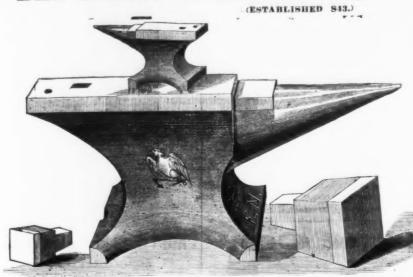
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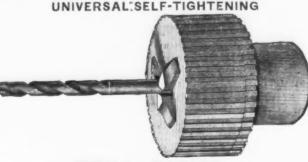
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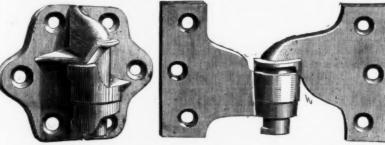
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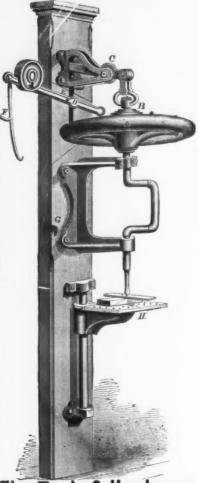
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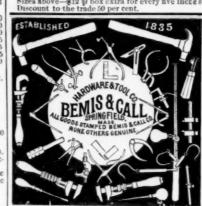
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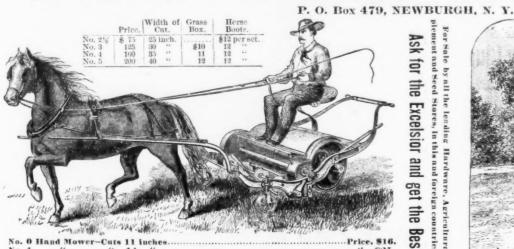
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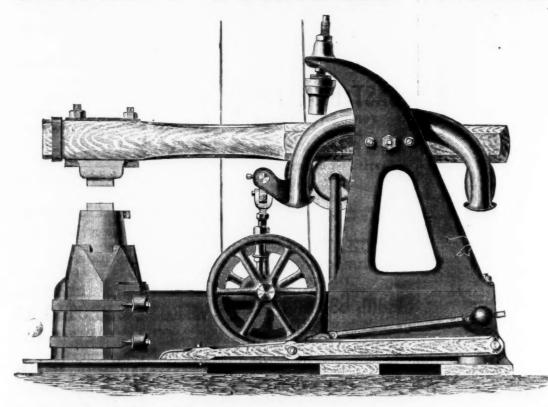
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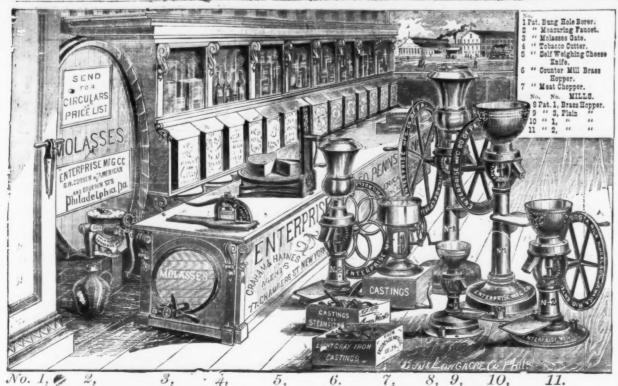
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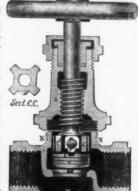
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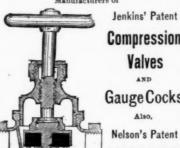
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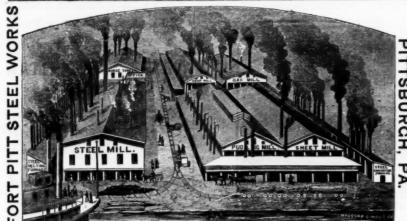
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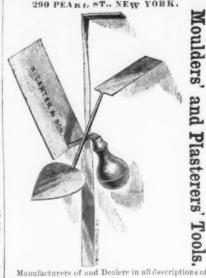
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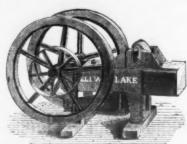
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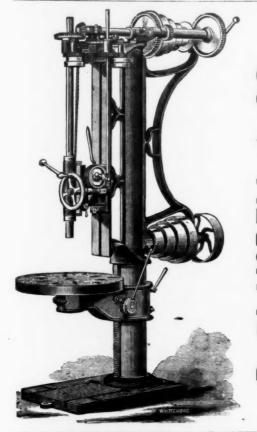
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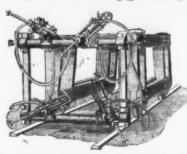
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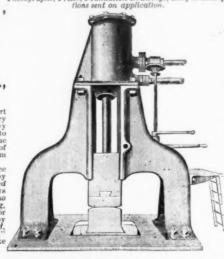
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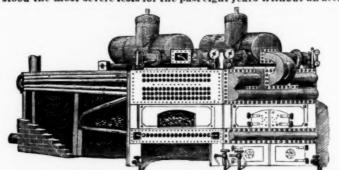
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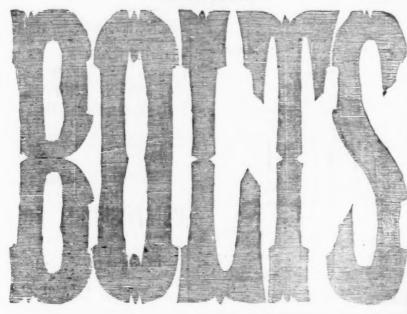
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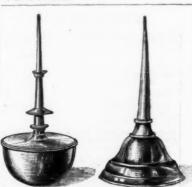
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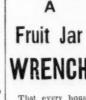
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